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VIOLENT FIGHTING ERUPTS IN WALLED JERUSALEM

ALLOCATION PLAN SPLIT FOUR WAYS

Truman Divides Voluntary Program Among Several Agencies

HEARINGS ARE PROVIDED UNDER PRESIDENT'S RULE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—President Truman today split up among four federal agencies the task of creating voluntary, industry-wide allocation programs for scarcity items, as provided by the Republican sponsored anti-inflation law.

Secretary of Agriculture Anderson took over the program as it relates to scarce farm products; Secretary of the Interior Krug, all fuels; Director J. Monroe Johnson of the office of defense transportation, transportation facilities and equipment; and Secretary of Commerce Harriman, all other products.

To forestall any hardships caused by production cuts, Mr. Truman's executive order directed that "industry, labor and the public generally" be granted opportunity for hearing before an allocation agreement is made.

The agreements will become effective only after approval by Attorney General Tom C. Clark, Mr. Truman ruled. The industries then will be immune to anti-trust prosecution.

Under the Taft-Wolcott bill signed into law reluctantly by the president on Tuesday, the agreements may provide voluntary priority, allocation and inventory controls over scarce products "which basically affect the cost of living or industrial production." Mr. Truman who had asked for stronger wage and price control powers, called the Republican bill "pitifully inadequate."

Except for its completely voluntary nature, the machinery outlined by Mr. Truman bears striking similarity to the wartime allocation system operated in wartime by the war production board. It even authorizes the creation of "industry advisory committees" like those which aided WPB.

To coordinate and steer the program, Mr. Truman instructed the quartet of officials to set up a "working committee" of representatives from each agency. These would choose their own chairman.

Secretary Anderson, besides being empowered to consult with farm groups on agreements covering agricultural products, was assigned re-

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EX-KING MIHAI, MOTHER DEPART

Leave By Special Train To Hungary On Way To Switzerland

SINAIA, Romania, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Former King Mihai and his mother, Queen Helen, left the royal estate here by special train tonight for Hungary, en route to Switzerland where the abdicated monarch may marry Princess Anne of Bourbon-Parma and live in exile.

Mihai did not wait until he had obtained a visa for admission to Switzerland, a delay which would have kept him in Romania until Monday or Tuesday.

Instead, he departed at 8:25 p. m., Romanian time, a few hours after he had received his visa for Hungary, with the probable intention of waiting for his Swiss entry permit at Salzburg in the American zone of Austria.

The special train for Mihai's journey was dispatched from Bucharest to Sinaia in mid-afternoon for the half-hour trip, and the former king and his mother boarded a few hours later.

Correspondents were not allowed to watch the departure from the station, but from a hill overlooking the platform, together with a small group of Sinaia inhabitants, they observed the arrival of the four royal cars from the palace.

The former queen stepped out first, and was followed by Mihai. They walked up a red carpet stretched along the platform that led into the station.

It was understood from the Swiss

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2 WOMEN DROWNED AFTER AUTO CRASH

KAUFMAN, Tex., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Two women drowned in the east fork of the Trinity river today when their automobile skidded on an ice-coated wooden bridge, smashed through a railing, and plunged 10 feet into seven feet of water. The accident occurred at 9 a. m., 13 miles west of Kaufman on Highway 185.

The dead were Mrs. Ben F. Lightfoot, 33, of Dallas and Mrs. Louise Parnell of Dallas.

Witnesses to the accident called the Kaufman fire department and members of the department rescued the trapped bodies from the automobile. Only the radio aerial of the car was above water. The women were headed toward Kaufman at the time of the accident.

Knotty Problem Awaits Congress

Girl, 8, Slain

Shortly after she was sent on a neighborhood errand by her father, eight-year-old Shelia Ann Tuley (above) was found dead of numerous knife wounds on a neighbor's front porch less than a block from her home. Police theorized an acquaintance killed her and carried the body to the porch. (AP Wirephoto).

OFFICE ON STORM RELIEF TO OPEN

Another Victim Of Louisiana Tornado Dies Of Fractured Skull

SHREVEPORT, La., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Administrative officers of the American Red Cross for the Cotton Valley and Haynesville, La., and south Arkansas tornado disaster area will be opened here Monday in the Caddo parish courthouse, Mrs. D. A. Lee, Shreveport, chairman of the local Red Cross chapter, said today.

E. C. Bryant, Atlanta, Ga., who is in charge of activities at Cotton Valley, said a force of about 16 persons would be employed at the office.

Meanwhile the Cotton Valley death toll rose to 14 today, with the death in charity hospital here of Johnny Livingston, 9, a Negro boy who suffered a fractured skull. Two additional deaths were reported today among the Cotton Valley injured.

Today's toll of tornado dead in north Louisiana stood at 17.

Disbursements for relief and reconstruction to people in the disaster area will be made through the Shreveport office, Bryant said. He expected about $125,000 would be distributed. The national president of the Red Cross has already authorized expenditure of $100,000 in the area and more will be forthcoming if needed.

Two doctors and two nurses from the American Red Cross arrived to assist injured persons and to direct health measures in the disaster area.

Three injured persons remained today at the Swan Clinic at Springhill, La. They are Howard Spencer, possible brain concussion; Mrs. Alvin Shaw, and Lum Davis, Negro, all of Cotton Valley.

At the Grey-Lewis Clinic at Springhill four Cotton Valley persons were still being treated. They are Mr. Floyd Smith, B. C. Windham, Joe Windham and Inez Windham. All were said to be improving.

The Haynesville Hospital reported

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TRADE SCHOOLS IN DISPUTE WITH VA

BATON ROUGE, La., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Representatives of 11 privately-owned Louisiana trade schools today formed an organization to represent the schools in a dispute with the Veterans Administration over tuition and regulations.

Spokesmen for the schools have contended that the V. A. imposed an arbitrary limitation tuition and undertook to lay down rules for the operation of the schools, although academic matters supposedly were to be supervised by the state department of education.

John Dutton of Baton Rouge was elected president of the organization, which took the name, Louisiana association for trade and vocational schools and said it would apply for affiliation with the American Society for Trade and Vocational Education.

Other officers elected were H. M. Atwood, vice-president, and Andrew Triche, secretary-treasurer. Both are from Baton Rouge.

Officers said the schools represented at today's meeting had a combined veteran enrollment of 2,000, and that the rest of the 45 private trade schools in the state would be invited to join.

Starts Work Tuesday On Plan To Rescue Europe From Chaos

By Jack Bell

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Congress goes to work Tuesday on what many lawmakers think is the knottiest problem they ever faced in an election year—an attempt to help western Europe escape economic chaos and Communism without rocketing already high living costs at home.

President Truman will present his recommendations on this many-sided issue in a series of three messages beginning Wednesday with his report on the state of the union. He will follow this Friday with an economic message and Jan. 12 with an expected new record peace-time budget.

The Republican controlled Congress will begin compiling its answers Wednesday when the Senate Foreign Relations committee starts hearing a list of upwards of 40 witnesses on Mr. Truman's proposal for a four year, $17,000,000,000 economic recovery program for 16 non-Communist Western European nations.

Secretary of State Marshall, sponsor of the plan for helping Europe help itself, is expected to be an early witness. Others to be called include former President Herbert Hoover and Bernard Baruch, adviser to presidents.

There are indications that President Truman will give the Republican lawmakers plenty to think about in his annual messages. GOP members frankly expect what they call "a campaign document" of domestic legislative proposals to accompany his plea for speedy action on European recovery.

Chief of these is likely to be a reiteration by the president of his request for stand-by price-wage and rationing authority to back up the "inadequate" inflation controls he said the special session of Congress gave him in a Republican sponsored bill.

The cost of living problem rapidly has been rising to the top as an issue in the presidential campaign. Each party blames the other for high prices.

Tied in with this and the European aid program are a number of other issues on which the president is expected to speak his mind.

One that has assumed major proportions in Republican thinking is a

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JOE BRUMFIELD DIES SUDDENLY

Candidate For Police Jury Collapses While Soliciting Votes

A sudden heart attack yesterday afternoon claimed the life of Joe Brumfield, foreman at the Brown Paper Mill and candidate for police juror of Ward Five.

Mr. Brumfield, 52, of Highway 80, West Monroe, an employe of the paper mill for the past 24 years, was reported to have collapsed while soliciting votes at Jackson's grocery in Bawcomville soon after 3 p. m. Laughing and joking, Mr. Brumfield was said to have fallen suddenly to the floor, failing to regain consciousness before succumbing enroute to St. Francis Sanitarium in a Mulhearn ambulance.

Mr. Brumfield, a native of Magnolia, Miss., spent several years in road-building work before being employed first at the paper mill in Bastrop, where he spent three years, then at the Brown Paper Mill in West Monroe where he was employed at the time of his death. He was a member of the Claiborne Methodist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Mildred Brumfield; two sons, Earl Brumfield of Highway 80, West Monroe, and Edgar Brumfield, now serving in the army overseas; one daughter, Miss

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FOUR FILM FIGURES GIVEN $200 FINES

BAKERSFIELD, Calif., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Four film figures—Clark Gable, Frank Morgan, Johnny Mack Brown and O. C. Dull, producer, were fined $200 each today by Justice of the Peace Frank Noriega after pleading guilty to violation of the game laws.

Michael Cohen, M. G. M. attorney who appeared for the actors and Dull, said the studio "deeply regretted" that the party had violated the law restricting possession of ducks to four to a hunter.

Gable, a crack shot, originally was charged with possessing 25 ducks, but after a conference between Cohen and the court it was acknowledged that there had been a mixup and that he had only six. The additional ducks belonged to another actor who left before Game Warden Les Arnold made the arrests last Sunday at a private club.

Brown, former Alabama football star, pleaded guilty to possessing 12 ducks; Dull 13 and Morgan 13.

Fire Sweeps 6 New York Buildings

Firemen and pumpers battle flames sweeping through three apartment houses, two office buildings and another structure on New York City's west side at Columbus Circle. One of the buildings at 230 West 58th street was destroyed. A dense pall of smoke was cast over the section, and drifted southward over the Times Square area. (AP Wirephoto).

ATTLEE RAPS AT RUSSIAN RED-ISM

Asserts New Form Of Imperialism Threatens Rest Of Europe

LONDON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Prime Minister Attlee denounced Russian Communism tonight as "a new form of imperialism" threatening the rest of Europe.

"Today in Eastern Europe the Communist party, while overthrowing an economic tyranny of landlordism and capitalism, has renounced the doctrines of individual freedom and political Democracy and rejected the whole spiritual heritage of Western Europe," Attlee said in a speech broadcast at Britain's peak listening hour.

His attack came in a party political broadcast in which he raked International Communism as hard or harder than he did his main domestic opponents, the Conservatives.

Attlee's denunciation of Communism followed by two weeks a nation-wide campaign launched by Morgan Philips, general secretary of the Labor party, to oust Communists from the controlling positions they hold in some British labor unions.

He asserted that "Soviet Communism pursues a policy which threatens with a new form of imperialism—ideological, economic and strategic—the welfare and way of life of other nations of Europe."

Attlee contrasted the labor party's conception of a combination of political and economic democracy with the Russian system and argued that modern Russian history warns that "without political freedom, collectivism can quickly go astray and lead to new forms of oppression and injustice."

He glanced at the United States at the other end of the political scale from the Soviet Union and said:

"The United States of America stands for individual liberty in the political sphere and for the maintenance of human rights.

"But its economy is based on capitalism, with all the problems which it presents, and with the characteristic extreme inequality of wealth in its citizens. As a new country with immense resources, it has not yet had to face the acute problems which have

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NEW YORK WEATHER OUTLOOK IMPROVES

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Sunshine and clear skies and an even rosier forecast for tomorrow gave millions of New Yorkers reassurance tonight that a week long siege of ice and snow was at an end.

Subway, bus and railroad transportation in the Metropolitan area was normal today. Power and telephone lines, broken by yesterday's sleet and ice, were repaired. Mayor William O'Dwyer also lifted the ban on non-essential driving.

Although temperatures were at or below the freezing point, a predicted high of about 40 degrees tomorrow was expected to help clear the remnants of the record 25.8-inch snowfall of Dec. 26.

The Association of American Railroads, however, announced an embargo on the shipment to New York of non-essential freight which must be moved through the harbor by small craft.

C. S. Crandall, port traffic manager for the association, said the principal effect of the embargo will be felt by industries in the interior of the country which will be unable to ship non-essential materials for "two or three days."

Rain, sleet and snow buffeted the northeastern states yesterday and took at least 17 lives, raising the toll for the eight days since the first storm to nearly 100.

CANCER EXPERT GOES TO MOSCOW

Swedish Press Speculates Patient Might Be Premier Stalin

STOCKHOLM, Sweden, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Dr. Elis Berven, famed Swedish cancer specialist, left for Moscow today after a call which his son described as "fantastically mysterious." The Swedish press speculated that his patient might be Prime Minister Stalin but cited no foundation for its guesses.

Soviet officials reacted with alacrity in speeding Dr. Berven's journey. The Russian consulate promptly issued a visa, and Dr. Berven left on a Finnish plane for Helsinki where he was to transfer to a Russian plane. He declared:

"I cannot tell you who my patient is because I don't know myself yet."

There was little concrete information to shed light on the trip of Dr. Bervin, 62-year-old radiation specialist and chief physician of the Stockholm radium hospital.

Hans Olov Berven, his son, said a cablegram came on Dec. 31, signed by four Russian physicians, asking him to "come to Moscow for consultations." Mrs. Berven said her husband was summoned on a "serious cancer case," and he responded without any idea how long he might be in the Soviet Union.

The son said the cablegram contained "nothing whatsoever" as to the patient's identity and it was "fantastically mysterious for him and for us."

He added that the four physicians asking the consultations had visited Dr. Berven's Stockholm laboratories early in December, but that Dr. Berven never before had been in Russia. He took with him, he added, "some books and other material" which he declined to describe.

The newspaper Aftontidningen said it was likely that Dr. Berven would be bound by an oath of secrecy when he returned, as was the case with

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ANTI-COMMUNIST BLOC PROPOSED

MUNICH, Germany, Jan. 3.—(AP)—A movement is underway to weld anti-Communist political leaders of western Europe into a united bloc.

A French group called Nouvelles Equippe National, supported by the Conservative French party, the popular Republican movement (MRP), has sent invitations to leaders of the so-called "Christian Parties" of France, Italy, Belgium, Denmark, Switzerland and Germany to a confernce in Luxembourg, Jan. 30.

In Germany, invitations went to Jakob Kaiser, co-chairman of the Christian Democratic Union (C. D. U.) in the Soviet zone; Dr. Joseph Mueller, chairman of the Christian Socialist Union (CSU) in Bavaria, and Konrad Adenauer, C. S. U. leader in the British zone.

Kaiser recently was repudiated by the Soviet military administration for forbidding C. D. U. members to attend a "unity" political conference in the Russian zone. Although the C. D. U. membership has backed Kaiser ,the development was interpreted as a death blow to the party in the Russian zone, where the Communist-inspired Socialist Unity party holds sway.

Mueller said the Luxembourg conference is intended principally to solidify parties in Western Europe espousing similar doctrines.

"To say it is anti-Communistic is a negative approach," he said. "The positive approach is to draft a program suitable in all the countries concerned."

The parties involved in the plan all are avowed anti-Communist groups, and many are closely linked with the church.

FRENCH PREMIER WINS TEST VOTE

Appears Assured Of Majority Monday When Government At Stake

SUPPORTED ON UNPOPULAR MEASURE ON INCOME TAX

PARIS, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Prime Minister Robert Schuman won his first test vote in his drive for an unpopular income tax measure in the national chamber of deputies today and appeared assured of a substantial majority on Monday when he will stake the life of his government on a question of confidence.

The government apparently had succeeded in lining up nearly all Centrist and moderate votes for the drastic tax bill to provide 125,000,000,000 francs (more than $1,000,000,000) for reconstruction, despite the determined opposition of Communists and deputies representing farmers.

The test vote came on two relatively unimportant amendments proposed to the second of the ight articles of the measure. The amendments, bundled under one vot as a tim-saving procedure, were turned down, 322 to 262. The first article was adopted by a show of hands.

The premier then announced that the government was posing a question of confidence on five other amendments to the second article, and demanded that it be adopted unchanged. The vote cannot be held until Monday because under the rules a full day must elapse between the posing of a question of confidence and the actual vote.

Although no vote of confidence was involved in the rejection of the two amendments today, the premier had declared the government would consider passage of the amendments a "vote of mistrust." It therefore was considered a test of his parliamentary strength on the measure.

The parliamentary atmosphere had changed considerably since yesterday, when the life of the government appeared in doubt.

Rene Mayer, speaking for the government, estimated that 26,000 artisans in lower salary brackets would have been exempted from paying 9,000,000,000 francs ($75,000,000) in taxes by the two amendments.

The amendments on which Schuman staked the life of his government

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U. S. AND ITALY SIGN AID PACT

Italy's Share Expected To Be $160,000,000 To $200,000,000

ROME, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The United States and Italy signed today an accord under which interim American aid will be furnished the Italians to tide them over until the Marshall plan may become operative.

Premier Alcide de Gasperi and Foreign Minister Carlo Sforza signed for Italy and Ambassador James C. Dunn for the United States. Similar agreements were signed yesterday by Austria and France which, like Italy, have pledged themselves to abide by conditions set by the U. S. Congress in voting the $522,000,000 interim aid program.

Italy's share of the program is expected to be somewhere between $160,000,000 and 200,000,000. The first allotment of $57,122,000 will cover imports of cereals, American and Ruhr coal, aviation gasoline, petroleum, and other commodities.

In the brief ceremony at the Viminale palace Premier de Gasperi, speaking extemporaneously, expressed Italy's appreciation for America's post-war aid. Pietro Campilli, who headed an Italian economic mission to Washington, recently estimated that

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GOVERNOR OF OHIO WEDS IN INDIANA

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Miss Mildred Helen Stevenson, his Gov. Thomas H. Herbert of Ohio and Indianalopis fiancee, were married today before members of their immediate families and a small group of friends.

The single ring ceremony in McKee Chapel of the Tabernacle Presbyterian Church was read by the Rev. Oscar T. Olson, pastor of the Epworth-Euclid Methodist Church, Cleveland.

The bride, wearing a brown wool daytime dress, entered the chapel on the arm of her father, Corydon Stevenson. Governor Herbert was attended by his eldest son, Daniel.

The governor smiled as he slipped the platinum and diamond band wedding ring on his bride's finger. They kissed and started down the aisle, smiling broadly.

The ceremony got underway at 11:30 a. m. (CST) and was over in 10 minutes.

Governor and Mrs. Herbert were to leave by private plane early in the afternoon for Miami, Fla.

Governor and Mrs. Gates of Indiana were among the guests.

Fierce Battle For Control Reported

Jews And Arabs Lash At Each Other On Two Fronts As Fighting Also Breaks Out On Jerusalem's Outskirts

By Carter L. Davidson

JERUSALEM, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Violent fighting erupted in Jerusalem's old Walled City tonight and informants said Jews and Arabs in that sacred area were locked in "an all out" fight for control of the ancient streets.

Jews began the battle, Arab sources said, by tossing grenades in an attempt to regain control of the Wailing Wall, Judaism's holiest shrine in Jerusalem. Arab riflemen have occupied the wall for the past two weeks.

Jews and Arabs lashed at each other on two fronts, as fighting also broke out on Jerusalem's outskirts.

Eyewitnesses inside the old walled city said the battle had assumed "major proportions." Casualties were described as heavy on both sides. Arabs using "Molotov cocktails," (gasoline filled bottles) set some Jewish shops afire.

As the battle began Jerusalem was covered by a dust pall brought by a 40-mile-an-hour gale.

Police said they had no details of the fighting in the old city but added: "The entire walled area is isolated. No one can enter or leave the city because the Arabs control all the gates."

An American priest in the Franciscan convent inside the Holy Sepulchre Church told the Associated Press by telephone: "We can hear the fight from here. It is the heaviest we have heard yet."

Approximately 1,500 Orthodox Jews have been living in a state of siege in the old city. Cut off by the surrounding Arab area these Jews have been supplied daily by convoys which sometimes fail to reach them.

The first casualty report from eyewitnesses said one Jew and one Arab had been killed and four Jews injured. A police cadet officer and a constable were wounded.

In disorders throughout Palestine 10 Arabs and two Jews were known to have been killed today. The unofficial count of deaths since the United Nations voted for partition Nov. 29 stood at 530.

Meanwhile, a reliable private informant said that during the last few days five Arab training centers for volunteer guerrilla fighters had been transferred from Syria to the Arab-inhabited hill region of central Palestine. The cholera outbreak in Syria was said to be one of the reasons for the transfer.

In northern Palestine near the borders of Syria and Lebanon three Arabs were killed in a battle last night in Safad and another Arab was shot to death in a Jewish attack on an Arab village near Tiberias on the

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TRUMAN TO RAP TAX-SLASH PLAN

Will Oppose Any Reduction In Message To Congress Wednesday

REPORTED READY TO WRITE THIRD TAX VETO MEASURE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Highly placed White House confidants said today that President Truman has decided to stiff-arm Republican tax cutting proposals when he delivers his state of the union message to Congress Wednesday.

Two men in daily consultation with the chief executive said he will oppose any changes in the tax laws which would result in an overall reduction of federal revenues.

The pair, who declined to allow use of their names, said Mr. Truman will make it clear that he will fight any general tax reductions "while the national income is at the highest level in history."

Their words implied that the president will go before the lawmakers prepared to write his thir dtax veto message if he is sent a measure sharply reducing the tax rates.

Chairman Knutson, Republican, Minnesota, of the House ways and means committee is drumming up support for a bill to cut $5,600,000,000 from the nation's annual income tax bill. He claims sufficient changes since the last bill to draw enough support from previous dissenters to make it "veto proof."

Meanwhile House Speaker Martin, Republican, Massachusetts, has predicted that the House will pass a tax cutting bill this month, although he

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Jes' Ramblin'

The Twin Cities were on the alert for the first baby to be born here in 1948. After an exhaustive search, Jes' Ramblin' has the information. The first baby born January 1 here was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McKoin of Oak Grove. He arrived at Charity Hospital at 12:28 a. m.—just missing the arrival of the new year by 28 minutes. The second baby born here was the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Forman, of 708 Calypso street, who arrived at St. Francis at 2 a. m. on New Year's morning. He is named Dennis Neil Forman. We wish for these youngsters a long and prosperous life and that each succeeding New Year's day will add more and more happiness to their lives.

Hospitals may seem unusual places to find a yard full of ducks but as many as 150 have been raised at Riverside Sanitarium by Dr. A. D. Tisdale who states he has reared the flock on table scraps from the institution. He admits now that the flock has been decimated as he has been serving them to patients through the holidays and now there are less than 150 by a whole lot.

Many people would pass the flock which had quarters at the rear of the hospital but they would make no outcry, but let Dr. Tisdale appear and they would honk as bad as a goose for they were sure that it was feeding time. Nurses say they knew when to get up in the morning for the disturbance of the flock at early morn-

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'SURRENDER HOUSE' WILL BE REBUILT

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The sons of the man who 55 years ago tore down the famous civil war "surrender house" at Appomattox Court House, Va., have been awarded the contract for its reconstructon.

The sons, C. A. Hancock of Huntington, West Va., and E. H. Hancock, of Lynchburg, Va., stand to fare much better under their $49,553 contract announced today by the National Park Service than did their father, C. W. Hancock, who was never paid a cent.

SEEKS MACHINERY ON MEAT RATIONING

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Legislation to set up meat rationing machinery which congress could slip into gear quickly will be introduced in a few days by Senator Flanders (R.-Vt.), he said today.

The senator outlined his plans after Secretary of Agriculture Anderson expressed belief that congress will restore meat rationing during the session opening Tuesday.

Flanders told a reporter he already has started drafting a bill which he expects to have ready in about 10 days.

The measure would authorize the agriculture department to make all necessary plans for rationing, including preparation for but probably not actual printing of coupon books. These plans would go on a hold-in-reserve basis.

To put them into effect, it would be necessary for congress to pass a second, separate bill," Flanders said, adding that this would give the lawmakers, rather than the executive department, final say on whether the program should be used.

President Truman, in his Nov. 17 message to the special session of congress, asked for stand-by power to restore rationing of scarce commodities if necessary. He also asked for authority to reimpose wage and price controls, on a selective basis, if conditions warranted.

Congress turned him down and enacted legislation which provides instead for industry-wide voluntary agreements designed to hold prices in line by dividing up scarce products.

Flanders is chairman of an economic subcommittee which last fall studied prices and shortages in the east. The group recommended stand-by rationing legislation, but opposed price controls.

Senator Morse, Republican, Oregon, spokeout in opposition to meat rationing. Morse said in a statement he had noticed earlier comment by Flanders on meat shortages and added:

"In fact I have noted that a considerable number of eastern senators seem to be ready and willing to place compulsory government checks and controls upon the product of the American farm but cry out about 'police state methods' when anyone suggests some checks and controls upon corporate profits and allocation of the short supply of basic industrial materials."

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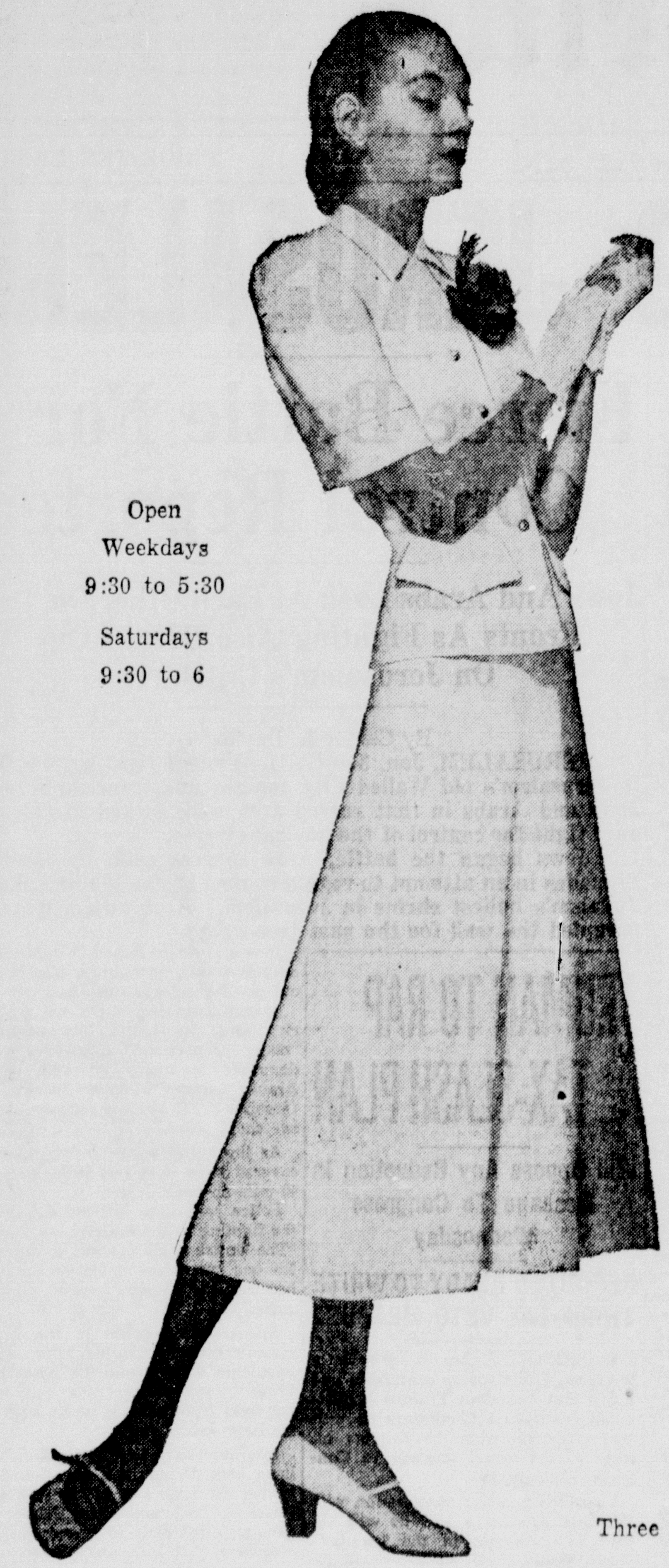

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MISSION GROUPS OF METHODISTS

First Church Lists Members Of Its Ten Circles

The women's mission groups of the First Methodist Church will meet at the church Tuesday at 3 p. m. for a program meeting. Members of the circles are as follows:

Circle 1: Mrs. C. P. Andrews, Mrs. J. B. Anthony, Mrs. Julius Fink, Mrs. R. W. Germany, Mrs. R. E. Hanna, Mrs. R. E. E. Jones, Mrs. J. C. Liner, Mrs. M. A. McHenry, Mrs. J. W. Murphy, Mrs. W. C. Rush, Mrs. John Sholars, Mrs. J. W. Treadwell and Mrs. J. B. Vaughan.

Circle 2: Mrs. L. B. Breed, Mrs. Z. J. Byrd, Mrs. Lonnie Clark, Mrs. C. B. Cooley, Mrs. J. T. Conger, Mrs. Gleaves Davis, Mrs. W. C. Holstein, Mrs. John Munholland, Mrs. E. H. Osterman, Mrs. W. L. Perce, Mrs. Thomas Pitt, Mrs. Vernon Sellers, Mrs. Ben Parnell and Mrs. C. W. Wallace.

Circle 3: Mrs. S. L. Allen, Mrs. Tip R. Anderson, Mrs. R. E. Barwick, Mrs. W. S. Buckley, Mrs. J. B. Collins, Mrs. Guy Elliott, Mrs. A. G. Everett, Mrs. J. W. Hennick, Mrs. C. M. Lobrano, Mrs. M. O. Reeves, Mrs. Joe Renwick, Mrs. J. A. Thomas, Mrs. C. J. Turpin.

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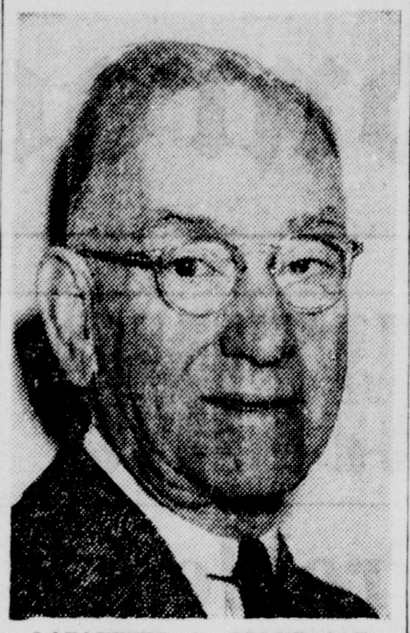

LAFAYETTE A. TROUSDALE

Lafayette A. Trousdale, pressman for 34 years, the last 10 of which were with the Monroe Printing company, is to retire on a pension from the union, of which he is a member. He is a graduate of the Louisiana State School for the Deaf and has worked and resided in both New Orleans and Monroe. He is active in fraternal and church circles. He has been for many years assistant secretary of the Men's Bible class of the Monroe First Methodist church.

BUILDING PERMITS

L. M. Ray Construction received permits for erection of 17 dwellings on the south side of Monroe. Total expenditures were listed as $44,850. On Standifer street, lots and costs: 707, $2,750; 709, $2,800; 711, $2,800; 713, $2,750; 715, $2,000. In Nichols street, lots and costs: 706, $2,750; 708, $2,800; 710, $2,800; 712, $2,750; 714, $2,000. On Jackson street, lots and costs: 3507, $2,750; 3509, $2,900; 3601, $2,900; 3603, $2,000; 3605, $2,900; 3607, $2,800; 3609, $2,900.

A permit was issued to Hosey Lewis to erect a cabin at the rear of 507 South 22nd street. Cost will be $300 and second hand material will be used.

Permission was given to Eddie Ross to remodel a porch at 321 1/2 North Sixth street. Cost is given as $83 and day labor will be utilized.

WORMS MAKE IT VALUABLE

The Mexican jumping bean is the only crop in the world that must be wormy in order to have a commercial value. It's a worm inside the bean that makes it jump.

THE NATION TODAY

By James Marlow

(EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the second of two stories giving some simple, background information on Congress before it opens next week.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Since the congressmen come back to work Tuesday, here's a bit of information on them.

First, can you see Congress in action? Yes.

From the gallery you can watch the speech-making and voting when either House or Senate is in session.

Both Houses usually meet every weekday except Saturday. And, almost always, they start their floor sessions at noon.

This doesn't mean congressmen just come to work at noon. Most start their day between 9 and 10 o'clock in the morning.

But taking part in the speech-making and voting is only part of their work.

That's why you can look down many times from the House or Senate gallary, when nothing important is happening, and see only a handful of congressmen.

They have a lot of other things to do: Mail to answer, visitors to receive, errands to run for the people back home.

A big, and very important, part of their work is done on committees, which usually start their day's work around 10 o'clock.

The public—meaning you—con sit in on these committee sessions unless, for a special reason, they're closed. That doesn't happen often.

Each House has a bunch of committees which cover all kinds of American living from banking and farming to foreign affairs and post offices.

Getting on a committee is important to congressmen. It gives them prestige and a strong hand in shaping the laws Congress passes.

When an important measure, or bill, comes before Congress, it is turned over to the committee which specializes in the field covered by the bill.

For weeks, sometimes for months, a committee examines witnesses who come before it to talk for or against a bill.

When it's finished, the committee draws up a bill of its own on the subject and sends it to the full House or Senate for debate and vote.

After debate, the full House or Senate may vote for the committee bill, change it, or kill it. But the lawmaking starts with the committee.

A good example is the Marshall plan for helping sixteen European nations over the next four years.

President Truman has sent to Congress an outline of the way he'd like to see the Marshall plan set up.

But Congress isn't going to accept Mr. Truman's ideas without question.

On January 7, the day after Congress opens, the Senate foreign relations committee will start hearings on the Marshall plan.

This committee has a twin in the House—called the House foreign affairs committee—and it soon will begin its own hearings on the plan.

So on opposite sides of the Capitol, the two committees will be doing the same thing at the same time:

Listening to all kinds of people giving information or testifying for or against the Marshall plan, government officials, experts, heads of organizations, or private citizens.

These hearings may continue for weeks or months. Then each committee will draw up its own bill for giving Europe help. The bills are almost certain to be different in some ways.

The differences will have to be ironed out by House and Senate or, in the end, by a special, joint committee of members of both Houses.

While all this is happening, other House and Senate committees will be holding hearings on other bills and other problems.

How long will Congress stay in session in 1948?

Probably until some time in the summer. This is an election year for all 435 House members and for one-third, or 32, of the 96 senators.

So the congressmen will want to get home as soon as they can to campaign in the late summer and early fall for re-election.

FOOLER SPOTS

When the pigmy owl looks backward over his shoulder, two large eye-spots on the back of the head give him the appearance of staring straight ahead.

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ASSETS

First mortgage, with vendor's lien and privilege, direct reduction loans	$ 5,322,891.62	
Loans secured by shares of this association	17,070.26	$ 5,339,961.88
Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank	$ 43,500.00	
U. S. Government obligations (including H. O. L. C. and War Savings Bonds)	280,000.00	323,500.00
Cash on hand and in banks		40,153.57
Office Building		1,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures		100.00
Deferred Charges		1,062.02
Other Assets		376.25
TOTAL ASSETS		$ 5,706,153.72

CAPITAL AND LIABILITIES

Optional payment shares	$ 9,347.15	
Full paid shares	3,466,025.00	$ 3,475,372.15
Mortgage loan shares, monthly reduction		3,324.00
Dividends declared, unpaid and uncredited		65,917.80
Loans in process		56,694.22
Advance payments by borrowers for taxes and insurance		996.40
Other liabilities		426.00
Contingent loss account	$ 1,948,423.15	
Federal Insurance reserve	155,000.00	2,103,423.15
TOTAL CAPITAL AND LIABILITIES		$ 5,706,153.72

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I, Secretary of the above named association, do solemnly swear that all the statements of the condition of this Association contained in this exhibit are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

James Larkan, Jr.,
Secretary.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 31st day of December, 1947.

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We, the auditors of the above named association, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statements are true and correct to the best of our knowledge and belief with the explanations contained in our report on our audit of the accounts of the association.

WALTER S. SAVAGE & COMPANY
By Walter S. Savage, C. P. A.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 31st day of December, 1947.

O. A. Easterling,
Notary Public, Parish of Ouachita.

NEW-TYPE FIRE ESCAPE PLANNED

Winecoff Holocaust Results In Latest Ladder Invention

E. B. Johnson, 511 Auburn avenue, Monroe, entomologist of the state department of health, is deeply interested in an invention of a friend, Lt. Col. Nelson H. Rector, with the U. S. Public Health Service in Atlanta, Ga. The invention is produced by Colonel Rector with the intention to obviate the recurrence of holocausts like the Winecoff fire in Atlanta a year ago.

Colonel Rector is said to have developed his idea for a patent while in a hospital in Atlanta immediately following the Winecoff fire in December, 1946.

The fire escape system consists of metal ladders suspended from the outer edge of a building and made possible by being attached at the top to a tramrail. In the case of the Winecoff, a 15-story hotel, Rector would have recommended four such ladders at an estimated cost of $5,000. The tramrail permits movement of the ladders completely around the building, and Rector is said to explain that when not in use, they can be kept at the back of the structure. Within a few minutes they can be rolled into place at any spot needed—firemen being permitted to ascend quickly to the source of the blaze and remove guests down the ladder. It is built of light weight but sturdy metal and would hang 18 inches off the face of the building.

It is said that it required an hour for Atlanta firemen to get a ladder to the Winecoff's seventh floor, due to interference of high-powered electric lines along the street. With this new device, it is claimed that ladders could be moved where wanted in a few minutes' time.

The principal purpose of the ladders, it is explained, is to permit firemen to reach the two vital points—source of the fire and top of the building—within a few mintes.

The inventor asserts he is assured that his new system will be put into use in many cities and towns.

FIRE ALARMS

Firemen of company 4 extinguished a grass fire at 1016 South First street yesterday at 2:52 p. m.

Company 4 was also called to put out a grass blaze on the 200 block of Missssippi street at 11:39 a. m. yesterday. Firemen said the fire had been started by carelessness with matches.

Company 3 extinguished a grass fire at 1617 North Seventh street at 1:31 p. m. yesterday.

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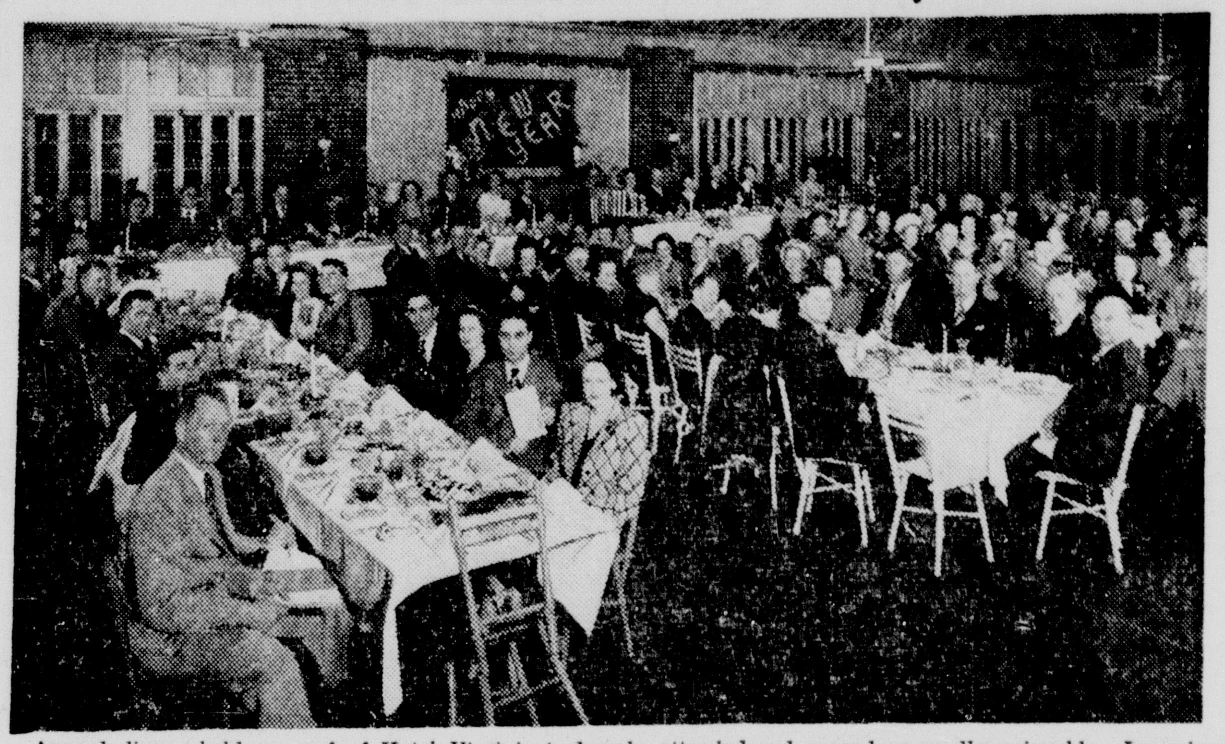

Annual dinner held on roof of Hotel Virginia is largely attended and proved unusually enjoyable. Incoming officers were installed at the Tuesday night event.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Real estate transfers recorded yesterday at the office of the clerk of court of Ouachita parish were:

Murray Hudson, et al., sold to Harry Schroeder a certain parcel of ground in square 32 of Hudson's Riverside addition for $1,200.

Spurgeon Welch, Sr., sold to J. H. Gates a certain parcel of ground in lot 1, section 11, township 19 north, range 4 east for $600.

Murray Hudson, et al., sold to Harry Schroeder a certain parcel of ground in square 32 of Hudson's Riverside addition for $1,300.

Coy A. Fox, et ux., sold to W. A. Griffin lot 6, block 12 of Austin & Eby's First Southern addition for $3,900.

William J. Lyon sold to Andrew J. Curry a certain parcel of ground in Cole's addition for $1,100.

H. V. Collins, et ux., sold to Wilburn Joseph Reid a certain parcel of ground in square 29 of Layton's Second addition for $5,250.

E. J. Rich, et ux., sold to C. B. Clark lot 11, block 19 of the Terminal Heights addition for $250.

Fred U. Hammett sold to Willie L. Simmons lot 15, square 53 of the Ouachita Cotton Mills addition for $6,000.

Randall Miller sold to John W. Williams lot 3, block 32-A of the Union Developing Co., Inc., resubdivision of blocks 32-A, 49, 61, 62 and 63 of the Ouachita Cotton Mill Company's Second addition for $7,200.

Mrs. Marguerite Dunivan sold to Mrs. Jewell B. Elliott a certain parcel of ground in block 56 of Lee Avenue addition for $1,000.

Richard D. Kellogg sold to Elizabeth Biedenharn Cutler lots 1 and 2, of J. D. Hitchcock's subdiviison of a portion of the Hardtime's Plantation for $28,000.

RUSTON'S GUARDS TO MEET TUESDAY

RUSTON, La., Jan. 3.—(Special)—Ruston's national guard unit, battery F of the 204 C. A. (AA), will hold its third annual get together here Tuesday night at the American Legion home.

On the same day seven years ago, January 6, 1941, 153 members of the local national guard unit left Ruston for a year's training at Camp Hulin, Tex., and its members saw service on all fronts, and many were in action in other branches of service during the war. Six members of the original Battery F paid the supreme sacrifice.

President William Rasbury, together with Thomas Lewis, has arranged an interesting program for the night, and Hunter Lewis will be in charge of refreshments.

ELIAS AND SONS PLAN TO ENLARGE

Elias and Sons, 422 DeSiard street, "Monroe's Biggest Little Store," is to expand. A warehouse is being constructed at the rear of the store and the store itself will be completely overhauled.

There will be a new front and new fixtures installed. Heating and air conditioning systems will be installed.

Sam and George Elias are the owners and operators of the store which was founded by their father, A. Elias, 35 years ago and has been located at the same place through the years.

A big opening is planned when the improvements are completed inside of the next two months.

A lightweight rubber lung that can be carried like a stretcher is the latest device for rendering artificial respiration to victims of paralysis, drowning, and electric shock.

MRS. GENTRY IS CONTEST WINNER

West Monroe Woman Is Acclaimed; Gets Trip To New York

Mrs. Herschel Gentry, 1502 Cypress street, West Monroe, has been chosen "Homemaker of the Week" by the Betty Crocker Magazine of the Air. The award was made by a prize-winning letter written by her husband in which he praised her cocoanut cake.

Mrs. Gentry is the first woman to be chosen in this 13-week Betty Crocker nation-wide contest which is open to husbands who write the best letters in praise of their wives' special cookery. Selection of the best letter each week leads to the conferring on the wife the honor of "Homemaker of the Week."

The award will result in Mrs. Gentry being guest on ABC Betty Crocker Magazine of the Air broadcast Wednesday morning, January 7, when she will give the prize winning receipt. All expenses in a two-day gala visit to New York City will be paid by General Mills, the program's sponsor.

DOUBLE-CROSSED OCEAN

The Irish potato and the peanut crossed the Atlantic twice to reach the United States. They were introduced to this country from Europe, although they are both natives of South America.

U. S. COLLECTIONS IN LOUISIANA HIGH

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Federal internal revenue collections in Louisiana for 1947 exceeded the 1946 total by nearly $20,000,000, Charles A. Donnelly, internal revenue collector, said today.

Substantial increases in all departments indicate that employment and business generally are on the upgrade in Louisiana, Donnelly said.

Total collections for the past year reached $342,866,532.52, as compared with $323,460,772.68 for 1946.

These figures showed that:

Employment tax collections increased approximately $1,500,000, from $13,302,370.57 in 1946 to $15,791,823.97 for 1947.

Donnelly explained that "because employment taxes affect only the first $3,000 of personal income, this indicates that there has been a definite increase in the number of persons employed in the state during the year."

Withholding tax collections jumped almost $8,000,000 in the one-year period, or $7[illegible],610,237.06, compared with $63,711,282.40 the previous year.

Income tax collections were up nearly $3,500,000, or $185,937,407.64 for 1947, against $182,595,515.36 in 1946.

Miscellaneous taxes rose about $6,000,000, or from $63,851,604.35 to $69,526,963.85.

Donnelly said the 1947 collections came within almost $7,000,000 of the peak year of 1945, when the wartime collections amounted to $350,005,637.

"At that time I never thought we would again approach such a huge figure, Donnelly commented. "But here we are. It's amazing."

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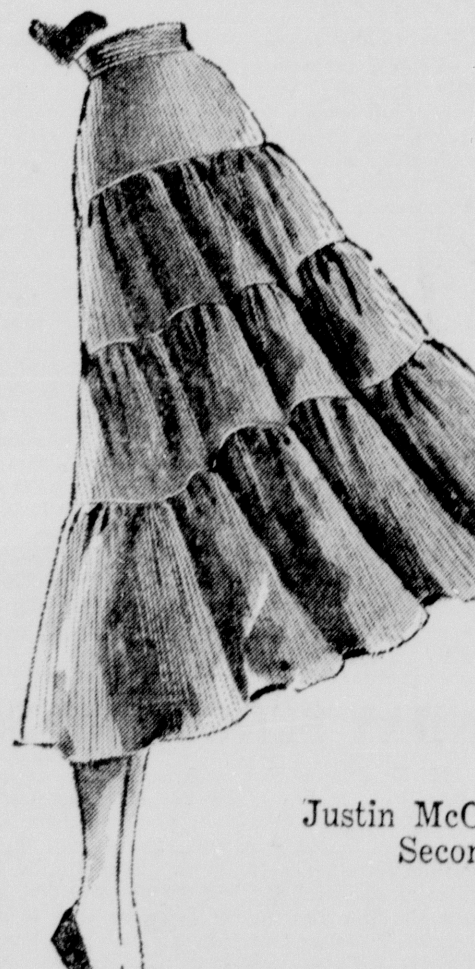

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Serfdom To Freedom

Those who visit the Freedom Train when it arrives here January 14 will find some of the "holy relics" of American democracy. They will look upon historic documents whose contents have been long enshrined—or, perhaps, entombed—in textbooks as required reading for the young American. They will see others that are unfamiliar, public pronouncements or private papers less famous but still significant links in the chain of human events that have led upward from serfdom to freedom.

It will be an unfeeling visitor indeed who can stand before the rough draft of the constitution, or the original copy of the bill of rights, or the manuscript of the Gettysburg address, without emotion. The words written there are part of his heritage. They have helped to create the environment in which he lives. His life would be a different matter without them.

The words of some of these documents may be known by heart. The sentiments of others may seen commonplace today. Yet they can scarcely fail to take on new meaning for the visitor as he looks at a piece of paper, now yellowed with age but once white and empty, where a man first put pen to translate thought to message and aspiration to action, and thus helped shape the course of history.

Each document represents, to a greater or lesser degree, an act of resolution. Each is a testimony of faith in which its author dared opposition to advance the concept of man's dignity and liberty a step closer to reality.

The Freedom Train that bears these documents becomes then a sort of traveling shrine of democracy. But let us not expect any miracles to occur in the presence of these holy relics. Human rights are not won through miracles, but through active and courageous effort.

There is a tendency today to feel, in spite of abundant evidence to the contrary, that the fight for democracy in this country is won. The real struggle, we sometimes let ourselves believe, is far behind us—something associated with powdered wigs and knee breeches. All we have to do is sit back and enjoy the blessings of liberty won for us a century and a half ago.

Nothing, of course, could be farther from the truth. The concept of human rights as exemplified by American democracy is being tested and sometimes rejected in other parts of the world today. Here at home there are signs that it is being neglected, evaded or forgotten.

Never in history have the rights and dignity of the individual been so secure that they could be taken for granted. Today as always, democracy is a fire that must be replenished if it is not to die.

So let us think of the Freedom Train as a source of inspiration and not a place of miracles. The documents there are reminders of a heritage and guides toward a goal that is not yet completely won.

NICE WORK

When it was announced Princess Elizabeth was to receive $200,000 a year from the English government to maintain her establishment, there was considerable lifting of eyebrows in this country, because the money obviously would come from American taxpayers via "loans," etc., to London.

Immediately there was comparison between that sum—which is tax free—and the pay of the president of the United States, whose $75,000 a year is reduced by income taxes to approximately $30,000. Furthermore, it is difficult to become reconciled to such action by a government which is looking to the United States for still more handouts.

While this government continues to pour millions into European countries it turns out the king business is still about the best paying in the world. Income of the British royal family is more than $2,000,000 a year, approximately a hundred times that of the president of the United States.

King Paul, of lowly Greece, and one of the poorest paid of European monarchs, has to struggle along with a mere $275,000 a year of American taxpayers' funds. Remember the $400,000,000 U. S. loan to Greece? Queen Wilhelmina of Holland gets an annual salary of $377,000, plus $37,700 with which to maintain her palace.

Ex-King Mihai of Romania had an annual income of $414,400. King Haakon of Norway doesn't do so well, having only $200,000 a year with which to meet current expenses. But one of his sons gets an additional $60,000 a year. Being a king is nice work if you can get it, and while American taxpayers' funds hold out.

GRADUATE SITTERS

The "baby sitter" is achieving professional status comparable with her (or his) importance to the modern family. Nineteen girls and women have been graduated from the first course in "baby sitting" given by public health agencies in New York City. Their diplomas include certification of their competence to instruct others in their delicate art.

The eight weeks' course included practice with "live targets" in such accomplishments as diapering, amusing, quieting, comforting, feeding, bathing and burping. The "shut-up-or-I'll-wallop-you" technique is severely frowned on. The sitters were instructed to "induce" the unruly child to do as he is told and mothers will hope practicable suggestions accompanied the injunction.

With sitters thus schooled in the mysteries of making Butch behave like a human being, some parents may decide to pass up the party or the movies and stay home to see how it works.

The student sitters were given a fundamental rule: "If you don't really like babies, don't be a baby-sitter." The implications of this suggestion will shock all grandmas. Doesn't everyone like babies? Grandma doesn't live here any more (which is why sitters are necessary) and she's never seen Butch when the little darling gets into one of those moods.

Jimmie Fidler IN HOLLYWOOD

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 3.—Jimmy Durante spent most of the holidays in Hollywood Hospital; doctors say a major operation may be in order . . Walter Abel, Shirley Temple, Randolph Scott and Reginald Owen are pooling funds to re-open their once profitable tungsten mine near Bishop, California, which was closed down by fire a year ago . . . I hear that the husbands of Olivia de Havilland and Joan Fontaine are now seconding the gals in their feudin' and fighting' . . . Perhaps studio czars interested in economy should check with Producer Rosalind Russell; her first independent opus, "The Velvet Touch," was completed for 25 per cent less than its scheduled cost.

Maurice Chevalier, whose career was nearly wrecked by rumors that he had collaborated with the Nazis, is taking no chances in America; he's retained a private investigator to check all affairs to which he's invited, and proposes to dodge those which have political import of any kind . . . Jack Beutel, idle since he co-starred in "The Outlaw" in 1941, but still under contract to Howard Hughes, is asking the boss's permission to take the air in a series of programs based on the story of "Billy the Kid." . . . With the Hollywood literati: Una Merkel is writing a sequel to "Wallflowers Can Bloom," the short novel which she sold to Cosmopolitan a few years ago.

Studio surveys show that more than 20 per cent of all movie workers are currently bedded by "Virus X," the mysterious malady that's been sweeping Southern California . . . The John Carrolls are baby shopping, via the adoption route . . . Add ladies with novel names: Marne Say, the NY beauty who's been doing Hollywood night spots with Producer Dick Bare. . . . Wotzis about a number of prominent Hollywoodites being victimized by card sharps at the Los Angeles Tennis Club?

PREVIEW NIGHTS: Pic of the week: Warner Brothers' "The Voice of the Turtle" (Ronald Reagan-Eleanor Parker-Eve Arden-Wayne Morris). A comedy smash on the stage, it's more hilarious as screen fare . . . RECOMMENDED: Universal-International's "A Double Life" (Ronald Colman-Signe Hasso-Edmond O'Brien). A suspenseful plot, brilliant acting and masterly direction earn it a place on your preferred list. . . . RECOMMENDED WITH RESERVATIONS: RKO's "Mourning Becomes Electra" (Rosalind Russell-Leo Genn-Raymond Massey). Too combre for mass appeal; too rich in screen artistry for discerning fans to miss. . . . SO-SO: MGM's "If Winter Comes" (Walter Pidgeon-Deborah Kerr-Angela Lansbury). A topnotch cast tries hard, but fails to overcome story deficiencies . . . United Artists' "Intrigue" (George Raft-June Havoc-Helena Carter). Melodrama, a la "Terry and the Pirates." . . . BEST PERFORMANCE: Rosalind Russell in "Mourning Becomes Electra."

Last week, a few hours after a three-year-old tot was accidently drowned in an unfenced swimming pool at the home of Alan Jones and Irene Hervey, another Hollywood youngster, playing in a neighbor's yard, tumbled into the pool and lost its life. Perhaps these twin tragedies, occurring almost simultaneously, will awaken Filmville to a real danger. Here in Hollywood and in Beverly Hills, private swimming pools are rapidly becoming common. During the past year, at least a dozen children have been drowned, usually because they tumbled into the water while playing in some one else's yard. Yet, in spite of the repeated tragedies, there's not one private pool in ten that is adequately fenced, or that has the full complement of safety features imposed, by state law, on all public swimming places. Since a pool is now so much a part of Hollywood life, it seems to me that a law is in order, compelling every pool owner to surround it with an unscalable wall or fence.

I've heard quite a few football fans opine, lately, that the "good old spirit" which used to animate college players is on the wane. They complain that the boys no longer seem willing to die for dear old alma mater. Well, maybe they aren't particularly those who are veterans of bigger games played on World War II battlefronts. But after reading the news that Columbia has offered Johnny Lujack of Notre Dame $75,000 plus a percentage of the profits to star in one football picture, a good many of the boys may generate a type of spirit just as effective. Sports page publicity that can be converted into that many dollars is worth plenty of effort.

According to the New York gossip, Lana Turner's new romance with Bob Topping is a three alarm blaze; according to the local heart specialists, Tyrone Power and Linda Christians are knee deep in daisies. And, according to all the rules, several fan magazine writers, having been forced to write a couple of months in advance of publication, are undoubtedly wishing they hadn't written stories about the broken hearts of Lana and Tyrone.

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DOWN SOUTH

By Thurman Sensing
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ECONOMICS OR POLITICS?

The latest report of the president's council of economic advisers leaves the serious question in our minds as to whether they are not more political than economic in their thinking, as to whether they are not writing the kind of report the administration wants them to write, and, finally, as to whether they really understand causes and effects as they operate under our system of government.

Devoting their attention to the causes and cure of inflation, many of their statements are both contradictory and ill-advised. They decry, for instance, increased effort and efficiency, longer hours of work, and increased production as a remedy for high prices. Yet they surely must know—everyone else does—that greater output in efficient labor or in material goods will bring prices down. This can only mean that they want prices to remain high—that they are not interested in maintaining or increasing the standard of living of the American people but are only interested in prolonging, at least until the next election, a condition of prices and wages that will continue to give an impression of prosperity, false though it may be.

Instead of adhering to the fundamental principles of sound economics—which admittedly are not very exciting and dramatic but which do produce the bread and meat by which we live—they reach out for some proposals that are calculated to attract the interest of the masses of the people. The fact that this interest on the part of the people is expected to be demonstrated with their votes in the next election sticks out all over the advisers' proposals, because what they recommend is by no manner of means possible of realization under the methods they propose; in fact, by and large, they simply make some grandiose proposals and do not support them with methods of attainment at all. We only need to consider a few of their measures to know that this is so.

One of the things they say is needed, for instance is "higher consumption in all the lower and middle ranks." Well, that appeals to most all of us. It is highly desirable. But how can it be brought about? It can't be achieved by simply saying it is needed. The Advisers don't say how it is to be done—and the important point here is that by not saying, they leave with us the implication that this greater consumption is not to be achieved by greater effort on the part of the people themselves but is to be made possible gratuitously by the government. This, of course, is politics and not economics. Even if the Advisers overlook it, the people are not likely to do so—that we have already attained a higher standard of living in this nation than any people have ever known before in the history of the world—and that it was not brought about by subsidies or patronage on the part of the government; it was attained by the efforts and energies and ambitions of the people themselves.

The Advisers are just as unrealistic—just as antagonistic to our traditional system of free enterprise—when they give their attention to wages and state that "gross unbalances in the wage structure must be rectified by some drawing together of those now at opposite extremes of the wage scale." In other words, they want to reduce everybody to a common economic level. They want to pull the ambitious down and want to raise the pay of the unambitious whether they earn it or not. This is nothing more nor less than a planned economy controlled by a centralized government, and shows a complete misunderstanding of the workings of the fundamental laws of economics in a democratic form of government. Such a proposal would mean the death of the incentive to produce and create that has made this nation the greatest economic power on the face of the earth. Their other recommendations, such as advocating the reducing of profits, the reducing of industrial prices, the establishment of real price competition, show the same misconception as to what it is that has made our economy work.

We have made great progress in this nation and will continue to do so—but not through listening to and following the advice of such politico-economists as these.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Scripture: Isaiah 40:28-31; John 14:8-14
By William E. Gilroy, D. D.

To know God means a great deal more than just to believe in His existence. The God whom Jesus revealed is a God of love, who so loved the world that He sent His Son into the world to be its Saviour. To know God is to realize, and share, God's purpose concerning man.

That purpose is entirely one of love and redemption. The Bible constantly affirms this. It is the theme of Old Testament prophets. "Ho, everyone that thirsteth, come ye to the waters" (Isaiah 55). It is the theme of John the Baptist, calling men to repentance. It is the essence of Christ's gospel, in all that He said and did.

It dominated Paul's life after his conversion so completely that he was sure that no experience or power, no matter how bitter or how strong, could separate him from the love of God, revealed to him in Christ. In the chapter from which our lesson is taken, he lists all the experiences of suffering and hardship, most of which he had himself endured, and he says that none of them shall be able to separate us from the love of Christ. Then, listing all the forces and powers, he declares that neither shall any of these be able to separate the believer "from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord."

That is a profound faith that is not easy to attain. It is easy to believe in God and His purposes of love, when all is going well with us; but when clouds of sorrow and trouble are heavy upon us, it is not so easy. But Paul represented Christian experience at its strongest and highest. Many lesser Christians, unknown to fame, but whose names are written in the Lamb's Book of Life, facing bitter trials and persecutions, have had that same experience. It is the paradox of life that, in the very loss of all things, they have found Christ nearer and richer than ever.

There are mysteries of life and of God's providence that seem impenetrable. They have been emphasized in recent years, when millions of innocent people have suffered incredible tortures and death, many of them because of their faith. In many areas of the world the times have been like those of the worst persecutions in the early church. Yet we see how true were Paul's words, and how unfailing was God's love and purpose. Perhaps these, too, in our modern world shall not have died in vain.

Would we have that faith that nothing can separate us from the love of Christ? If so, we must live with those who have it, and above all we must seek the indwelling of that One of whom Paul said, "I can do all things through Christ who strengtheneth me."

BELIEVE IT OR NOT — By Ripley

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ALL ITEMS SELF-EXPLANATORY

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These Days

By George E. Sokolsky

LIES! LIES! LIES!

The following is as much of an article printed in the "Tagliche Rundschau," published in Berlin on October 15, 1947, as I have space for in this column. The article speaks for itself—and it ought to speak out loud to Americans:

"The Youth of Two Worlds"

"'Young man, 20, healthy and robust, seeking any kind of position. Any offer accepted.'

"'Discharged soldier, 23, completed high school education, ready to accept any kind of work, even that of workshop apprentice.'

"'Girl, 21, single, capable in accomplishing any kind of work, seeks occupation no matter what kind.'

"The American newspapers are jammed with such ads. They can be seen on many gates, exposed on poster-columns and on placards carried through the streets of all towns of the United States by numbers of weary and prostrate young people.

"The doors of the factories, in front of which crowds of unemployed are gathered continuously, among whom are many juveniles, bear big posters with the concise words: 'No employment.'

"There is no work, no means of existence. How to find only a way to start, how carry on to make a living, how build a future? These are the questions which steadily torment the youth in the countries of capitalism.

"In its very substance, the capitalistic system is exclusively concerned with the interests of a small group of society. A group of people who, holding in their hands all the capital and means of production, live through the exploitation of the great majority of the population. This privileged class have plenty to eat, dress well, live in nice, comfortable homes and are dominated by an ever growing greed for profit. They are surrounded by faithful servants sitting in the state department, always ready to please their masters for a small and modest alm. Faithful and devoted to the bourgeoisie, they keep careful watch on their wealth and welfare. They are their pliant tools and assist them in fattening their purses, in exploiting the working man, getting rich at the hard expense of the misery of an immense stratum of the population.

"The working youth in the capitalistic countries have no present, no future. From the very first day of independent life, the specter of hunger and starvation hangs upon them as a dark menace. . . .

"In the hosts of millions of America's unemployed, there are today many of minor age who, forced by misery, wander about the towns all day in the vain search for employment. . . .

"(Here a few Russian employment advertisements are cited.) These are the ads which fill the newspapers, the shopwindows of Soviet Russia. Everywhere they can be seen, in the streetcars, in the subways, in the railroad stations all over the Union. In all factories, all construction plants throughout the country, there is need for labor-hands, engineers, technicians and employes. Working power is scarce, and therefore there is a widely expanded net of schools and institutes for the education and training of specialists in all branches and all grades of activity. . . .

"There are, in the Soviet Union, over 800 universities, filled with hundreds of thousands of boy and girl students. In this one year alone, 180,000 students have been admitted to the different colleges and institutions. And how many girls and boys learn in the various schools and training courses! Over half a million people are going to enter this October the agrarian schools, where they will be instructed in all branches of economy and agriculture.

". . . While in some capitalistic countries part of the youth are excluded from political life by age-limits, ownership census (property census), etc., all citizens in the socialistic state, who have reached the age of 18 have active voting right and at the age of 23 are eligible for election.

". . . The youth of the Soviet Union feel solid ground under their feet; they are not afraid of the days to come. They are, on the contrary, looking forward to each new day, because every new day brings them closer to the realization of the dream every boy or girl cherishes.

"For youth, the socialistic Soviet order has opened wide the gates into the future."

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14 CHARGED WITH GAME LAW OFFENSES

Local state police troopers arrested only two drunken drivers during the past week but were busily engaged in Tensas parish where they made a total of 14 arrests for violations of the game laws.

Dan A. Packer, 38, of Tallulah and Vernon A. Caffery, 22, of Bastrop, were arrested by troopers and charged with driving while under the influence of liquors.

According to state police reports, which failed to disclose names, 14 persons were arrested in Tensas parish on various violations of state game laws.

Frank J. Jenny, 37, of Spencer, and his 24-year-old wife were picked up by members of the post and held at the request of Sheriff G. M. Edwards of Union parish.

Three Bastrop men, Peter Robertson, 35, Barney Robertson, 45, and John Laird, were taken into custody on charges of drunkenness and disturbing the peace of public highways.

Despite sharp declines in U. S. deaths caused by tuberculosis about 50,000 Americans died of the disease in 1946.

Our Children

TEACHER'S MENTAL HEALTH

One of the first requirements of a good teacher is sound mental health. It is not easy to define mental health if there is any doubt of its being imperfect. If it is imperfect, there is no doubt about its effect on the people whom it touches. Putting the finger on the difficulty is very, very hard to do with accuracy. But we know sound mental health when we meet it.

The teacher who is in sound mental health can laugh, easily and often. There is no tension anywhere in her body. She swings along easily, a light step, a shining, happy look in her eyes. She takes the mishaps, the annoyances that are daily occurrences in the life of any teacher, with a smile and a shrug and says, "Well, well, tomorrow is another day. We'll begin again tomorrow."

The healthy-minded teacher never bears a grudge. When there is something going wrong, she goes directly to the source and says, "How come? What's to do here? Tell me about it," and—if necessary—speaks clearly, even sharply, what is in her mind, a free clear mind. Once having done so, the matter is settled, as far as she is concerned. She is not going to brood over wrongs, real or fancied.

Nor does the healthy-minded teacher lose her self-control in moments of stress. The usual classroom teacher has hours of such stress, which is the reason why she is not able to lead parents' meetings, sing in the choir, put on a play and preside at the Young People's Meeting after school hours. But with sound good sense she says, "I'm sorry but my time is fully taken up," and goes her way with a clear conscience—which means with a sound mental outlook.

One of the causes for teachers' mental breakdown is fear—fear of this and that sort of authority that may, if she makes a mistake, punish her with loss of position and salary. This fear can and should be lifted. It is dangerous to the teachers' health, to the success of the school. Supervisors have a great influence over this fear situation. It becomes their duty to study each teacher, learn how to deal with her, and him, so as to not only preserve mental health but to inspire it. Considering that this is one of the topmost requirements of education, it is well worth any supervisor's time and energy to make it his first aim.

Is another baby expected in your family, and have you told the other children yet? Dr Patri tells parents just how to prepare older brothers and sisters for the new arrival in his leaflet, P-22, "Relationship to Other Children."

To obtain a copy, send 5 cents in coin and a stamped self-addressed envelope to him, c/o this paper, P. O. Box 9?, Station G, New York 19, N. Y.

When excited, or in pain, the hippopotamus actually sweats blood.

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HERE is a pleasant little game that will give you a message every day. It is a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner of the rectangle and check every one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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Pitching Horseshoes

By Billy Rose

Unannounced and unabashed, Major Timothy Morgan walked into my office.

"I was about to send out for some lunch," I said to my old Midway chum. "Would you care for a sandwich?"

Billy Rose

"Make mine bourbon on rye," said Timothy. "Or vice versa."

I picked up the phone. "Send out a couple of chicken sandwiches," I said to the switchboard girl.

The self-commissioned major stood up. "I never eat chicken in any week with a Friday in it," he announced.

"Okay," I said. "I'll eat both sandwiches. While you're watching, you can earn the customary twenty tiny dollars by telling me why you're allergic to chicken."

"I've never seen you more persuasive," smiled Timothy. "My aversion to the noble bird is out of deference to Gerald."

"Who dat?" I asked.

"A rooster I used to know," said the old swindler.

I took a bottle of bourbon out of my desk. "I may need some of this," I said. "Proceed."

"Some years back," the Major began, "I was shopping for ten crates of celery at the Washington Market. Personally I detest celery, but that season two baritones were feuding at the Metropolitan Opera House. One had enlisted my services to put the squitch on his rival's performance at the opening of 'Don Giovanni.' I had assembled a claque of juvenile delinquents and it was my plan to have them chew enthusiastically on stalks of celery during the baritone's more emotional passages.

"While strolling through the produce market, I passed some chicken crates. Suddenly I heard a voice say, 'Yer mudder wears army shoes.' The voice seemed to be coming from a crate. I peered in. A Plymouth Rock looked me straight in the eye and croaked, 'Yer mudder takes dope.'"

"I'll be with you in a minute, Morgan," I said as I reached for the bourbon.

"Lucky for me," Timothy went on, "the poultry dealer hadn't heard this bit of repartee, and I was able to acquire the rooster for the prevailing number of cents per pound.

"That night I stretched some chicken wire around the bathtub at my boarding house and installed my feathered friend, who informed me his name was Gerald. And every day for the next few months I taught Gerald a new word. By mid-summer we had a fifteen-minute routine full of gay banter and folksy philosophy.

"Tell me about the act," I said. "How did it open"

"With a mother-in-law joke," said Morgan.

"Pretty corny," I dead-panned.

"You remind me," snapped the Major, "of the man who went to see a dog play chess and wanted his money back because the pooch lost two games in a row.

"My only trouble with the rooster was his tendency to ad lib—and these ad libs were usually uncomplimentary references to somebody's mother. In September I was ready to present Gerald to the world. I called on a booking agent and told him I had an act that would never lay an egg. When I explained the nature of the turn, he was dubious, as is all the breed. But after a few thousand well-chosen words about the talking rooster, he conceded I might have something and suggested I bring Gerald around the next day for an audition.

"As I left his office, I could see nothing but sunshine and roses. If Trigger and Lassie were worth a hundred a day, what was a rooster worth who could talk back to Louis B. Mayer? I envisioned myself in a Beverly Hills mansion where every bedroom had its own swimming pool. And Gerald in a steam-heated coop with a harem of pedigreed hens. After Hollywood, a tour of the capitals of Europe—and who knows—perhaps top billing for Gerald in a revival of 'Coq d'Or.'

"Full of the future, I rushed back to my boarding house to have dinner and start packing. Dinner that night began like dinner every night—cabbage soup. And then suddenly I couldn't believe my nostrils. Coming from the kitchen was the heady aroma of southern fried chicken.

"But as I sat there tucking my napkin in my collar, an horrendous misgiving seized me."

"Hold on a minute, Major," I said. "You aren't going to tell me that old one about the—"

"Silence!" thundered Morgan. "I jumped up from the table and vaulted the stairs to the bathroom. It was as I feared—Gerald had vanished.

"I dashed down to the kitchen. My landlady was mashing up some potatoes.

"'Woman!' I screamed. 'A million dollars worth of talent lies sizzling on that platter. Why did you do it, woman? Why?'

"My landlady continued mashing the potatoes. 'For three reasons,' she said. 'First, you owe me a hundred and eighteen dollars in back rent. Second, the board of health doesn't encourage poultry breeding in the bathroom. And third, no Plymouth Rock is going to call my mother a fat bag and get away with it.'"

"What did you do then?" I asked.

The Major sighed. "What could I do?" he said. "Today is a surety and tomorrow, at best, is doubtful. I tucked the napkins back under my chin and ate two portions of my movie career."

BIBLE THOUGHTS

Seest thou how faith wrought with his works, and by works was faith made perfect?—James 2:22.

If faith produce no works, I see
That faith is not a living tree.
Thus faith and works together grow;
No separate life they e'er can know:
They're soul and body, hand and heart:
What God hath joined, let no man part.

—Hannah More.

MAIL SERVICE BEING EXTENDED

West Monroe To Give Deliveries To Outlying Areas

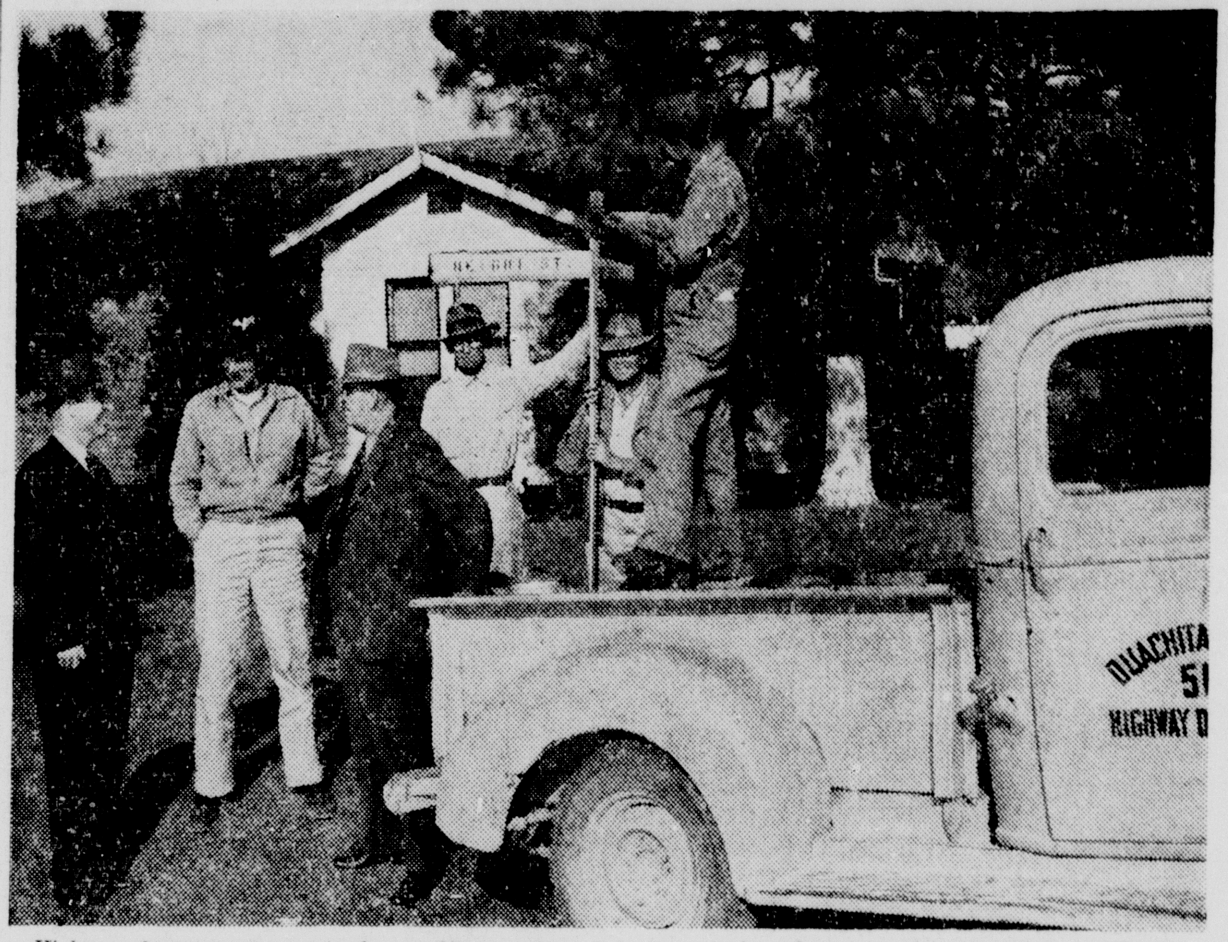
Five hundred or more homes in Splane addition of West Monroe and in McGuire addition will shortly be served with city mail deliveries, it is announced by acting Postmaster Oliver W. Boyd, Jr. The new service, it is expected, will be installed about January 12, provided the streets are marked properly and houses are numbered.

Police Juror Tom Hicks, who has been active in sponsoring the improved service, states that street markers are manufactured at the parish highway barn from metal scrap materials at minimum cost.

Mr. Boyd gave credit to Congressman Otto Passman for his efforts exerted in obtaining the extended deliveries.

The newly-erected post office building at Wood and Second streets will be completed for occupancy on or about January 15, stated the acting postmaster.

NEW STREET MARKERS FOR WEST MONROE



Highway department crew is shown above as they erect new steel markers in anticipation of the establishment of mounted mail deliveries in Splane and McGuire additions. Shown above, (left to right) Acting Postmaster Oliver W. Boyd, Jr., W. W. McBride, assistant parish engineer; Tom Hicks, Ward 5 police juror who aided in having the markers manufactured at the parish barns; Clarence Hogue, Sim Simpson and Neelia Gallion.

Tired, "All-In"—Listless Feeling Brought To Halt

As Vibrant Energy is Released To Every Muscle, Fibre, Cell

Do you get up in the mornings still tired, feel down-and-out all day? Have you checked-up on your blood strength lately? Overwork, undue worry, cold, flu or other illness often wears down the red-blood-cells.

Every day—every hour—millions of tiny red-blood-cells must pour forth from the marrow of your bones to replace those that are worn-out. A low blood count may affect you in several ways: no appetite, underweight, no energy, a run-down condition, lack of resistance to infection and disease.

To get real relief you must keep up your blood strength. Medical authorities, by analysis of the blood, have by positive proof shown that SSS Tonic is amazingly effective in building up low blood strength in non-organic nutritional anemia. This is due to the SSS Tonic formula which contains special and potent activating ingredients.

Also, SSS Tonic helps you enjoy the food you eat by increasing the gastric digestive juice when it is non-organically too little or scanty—thus the stomach will have little cause to get balky with gas, bloat and give off that sour food taste.

Don't wait! Energize your body with rich, red-blood. Start on SSS Tonic now. As vigorous blood surges throughout your whole body, greater freshness and strength should make you eat better, sleep better, feel better, work better, play better, have a healthy color glow in your skin—firm flesh fill out hollow places. Millions of bottles sold. Get a bottle from your drug store. SSS Tonic helps Build Sturdy Health.

DR. WHITE TO HEAD BAYLOR UNIVERSITY

DALLAS, Tex., Jan. 3.—(AP)—The Baylor University board today elected Dr. W. R. White, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Austin, Tex., as president of Baylor University to succeed Pat M. Neff.

Andrew Allen, public relations man for the Texas Baptist organization, said 29 of 36 members of the Baylor University board met and elected White without opposition.

White, himself a member of the Baylor University board, is a former president of Hardin Simmons University, Abilene, Tex., and has been pastor of the Baptist Church at Austin since 1944.

Neff's resignation as president of Baylor was eccepted by the Baylor board last month. Neff, 75, former governor of Texas, had been president of Baylor for 15 years.

White is chairman of the Texas Baptist executive board and came to the Austin church from Tennessee where he was editorial secretary of the Southern Baptist Sunday School board. He had held that position about three years, going there after resigning as president of Hardin Simmons University.

Million-volt X-ray, capable of penetrating seven inches of steel, has been designed to hunt out minute flaws in aircraft engine parts.

IN MOVIELAND

By Bob Thomas

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 3. — (AP) — Perhaps you are stunned each year when the Hollywood Women's Press Club selects your favorite as the "most uncooperative star." You might believe that stars would never be difficult with the press.

Sorry to destroy your illusions, but life is not always beautiful for those who cover the movie beat. True, there are many personalities—such as Loretta Young, Van Johnson, June Allyson, Cornel Wilde, Larry Parks —who are nice to everybody. And there are others.

Well, take a look at the targets of the press ladies. Here are the winners of the "Stuffed Shirt" awards:

1941—Ginger Rogers and Bing Crosby.

1942—Jean Arthur and George Sanders.

1943—Joan Fontaine and Errol Flynn.

1944—Sonja Henie and Walter Pidgeon.

1945—Greer Garson and Fred MacMurray.

1946—Ingrid Bergman and Frank Sinatra.

1947—Jennifer Jones and Gary Cooper.

When are stars considered uncooperative, you ask? When they decide they have time only for the most "important" members of the press. When they respond to an interview in grunts and one-ward answers. When they decide they are too busy to pose for still pictures. When they break appointments, feign headaches, snap off conversations.

Now observe the stars selected as "most cooperative" to the female press:

1941—Bette Davis and Bob Hope.

1942—Rosalind Russell and Cary Grant.

1943—Ann Sheridan and Bob Hope.

1944—Betty Hutton and Alan Ladd.

1945—Joan Crawford and Gregory Peck.

1946—Joan Crawford and Dana Andrews.

1947—Joan Fontaine (reformed) and Gregory Peck.

How did they gain the award? By seeing all members of the press and trying to give them good interviews.

Like all stories, this should have a moral. Maybe you can find it yourself. Look at the "uncooperative" list. See any whose careers are slipping?

Most of the helium for industry and medicine is obtained from certain natural gas wells.

Boyle's Notebook

By Hal Boyle

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—(AP)—We have a pretty "copy boy" in our office.

She has dark curly hair and the kind of underpinning that made Marlene Dietrich famous in an earlier generation.

A moment ago she curved past my desk and I asked her what was her most important New Year resolution, and she said:

"To quit chewing my fingernails."

She moved away, her rear bumper narrowly missing a typewriter, and I thought heavily, "My, how times do change."

Nineteen years ago I was a copy boy, too—in the primeval days when copy boys were really boys and could spit between their teeth and the lipstick era in the city room hadn't even dawned. And I remember the great New Year's resolution I made then.

It was to read Leo Tolstoi's "War and Peace" clear through without stopping.

It was this resolution that started me chewing my fingernails. It may not sound like much of a resolution to you, but "War and Peace" has turned me into a hideous hypocrite and put callouses on my conscience thicker than the barnacles on Noah's Ark.

For 19 straight years I have made this same resolution and failed to keep it. So this year I am going to reverse the field and say flatly that I never intend to read "War and Peace." I am done forever with Toistoi and his long-winded epic, and I don't care if I never find how the story comes out.

My long struggle with the book began after a high school English teacher mentioned offhand it was undoubtedly the greatest novel ever written.

Since then I have found that "War and Peace" is a kind of 1,000-page password among the cognoscenti and intelligentsia—the Democrats and Republicans of the mental stratosphere. They count you as an orphan of the literary world if you admit not having read it.

So whenever any of my bulge-browed friends remarked, "Doesn't so and so remind you of the character Ilya Ilyavitch in 'War and Peace'?" I lied back quickly:

"But of course. Who else but Ilya Ilyavitch indeed?"

It isn't that I haven't tried to wade through "War and Peace." But it has more characters with difficult names than the Moscow phone directory and it is almost as long as "Anthony Adverse" and "Gone with the Wind" put together. And I am allergic both to strange names and endless prose, however good.

"War and Peace" is so heavy you have to hire someone to hold up the book while you read it. Even so I once got halfway through. Any number of times I have burrowed one quarter the way. From 1932 to 1942 I was undoubtedly the world's greatest living authority on the first four chapters. In recent years, however, I have fallen asleep every time after the tenth page.

This year I don't care if Tolstoi replaces "Mother Goose" in the primary grades. I am through with false pledges and broken promises. I can't, don't want to and won't read "War and Peace" in 1948.

There!—at least I can quit chewing my fingernails and start life again as an honest man.

M'CLENDON HAS REVIVAL SERIES

The revival, at McClendon Baptist Church, will be continued this week each night at 7 p. m. The evangelist, Rev. Alfred L. New, is drawing large crowds and developing deep interest through his consecration and ability as leader.

Mr. Murcer, music director, is also adding to the interest of the revival. Already there have been a number of additions to the church membership.

The public is invited to attend this church, out old Natchitoches road. Rev. New will preach twice today at regular services. Sunday school is at 10 a. m. and Training Union at 6:30. The night preaching service starts at 7:15 p. m.

UNITED ELECTRIC PAYS FOR OUTING

Four prize trip winners of United Electric in Monroe and this area, will leave over the Missouri Pacific railroad today for Miami, Fla., on an all-expense paid outing paid by the company.

The men who are so fortunate are: Ed Trippe of Bastrop, Vernon Gordon of Alexandria, Leo Campbell of West Monroe and Fred Lafferty of Colunbia.

Also accompanying the party will be Jack Trimble of Monroe.

They will proceed to Memphis where they are to board a special through train to Miami, where they will be entertained at company expense for three days.

ELECTION IS SET BY DOKEYS HERE

El Miro Temple No. 187, Knights of Khorassan will elect officers when they meet Monday at 7:30 p. m. W. L. (Bill) Rothermel urges all Dokeys to come wearing their fez and start the year right.

Stonewall lodge, Knights of Pythias, conferred the rank of page on candidates on Thursday night. Officers will be installed this coming Thursday and are as follows: W. M. Banister, chancellor commander; Homer Chilton, vice chancellor; W. W. Thompson, prelate; Lonnie Blake, master of work; Ted Van Laningham, master-at-arms; Eugene Shows, secretary; J. Arthur Smith, Sr., financial secretary; Dr. H. H. Baur, inner guard; H. B. Balfour, outer guard.

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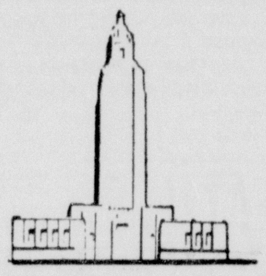

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Right now, with living costs leaping to new heights every day, we need more economy in state government. Lower taxes will give us all more take-home pay, more groceries, more clothing, better housing for every dollar we spend.

Think what it would mean to **you** if the Louisiana Legislature which meets next May would take positive steps to reduce expenses, and thereby reduce taxes! And it can be done!

Get behind this move for economy. Make your views known to the candidates for governor, senator, representative and other state offices. Tell them you want them to **tax less . . . economize more.**

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KENNON LASHES BOOK HIGHWAYS

Wants More Money Spent On Work And Less Of Planning

COLFAX, La., Jan. 3.—(Special)—Reasserting his claim that an investigation of the state highway commission should be made to determine what had become of the $275,000,000 collected by the commission since 1940, "since not a road of any major importance had been constructed," Judge Robert F. Kennon, independent candidate for governor, declared here before a crowd of more than 600 Grant parish voters, that when he took over the administration of the state government next May he would name a director of highways and "get some folks to build roads that know how to build them without spending hundreds of thousands of dollars dreaming and planning and spending huge sums of money for fancy lithographed brochures."

Holding aloft a handsomely lithographed booklet which he said was a proposed traffic survey for the city of Alexandria, he declared "this 'purty' piece of printing costs a lot of money, and you taxpayers are the fellows who are paying for it. It says here, he continued, "that it was prepared by the office service section of the reproduction unit of the state highway commission, but it don't say how many other units and sub-units might have had a hand in preparing it.

"Did you know," Kennon asked, holding the booklet spread out so that charts, drawings, etc., might easily be seen, "the money your highway commission spent to get this thing out would have paid for blacktopping a road from here (Colfax) to Dry Prong."

Reporting on the progress of the Kennon campaign, Kennon stated that if there had ever been any doubt that his ticket would become a contending factor in the campaign, that doubt had been dispelled. "All over the state," he declared, "persons who have had experience in political campaigns tell us they have never before witnessed such a swing to a ticket as has marked the swing to the Kennon ticket.

"And we attribute the swing to our ticket to the fact that we have not been running over the state promising a lot of things which can't be done. What we are interested in doing is taking the state government out of a machine and ring control. When we do that and then destroy the unnecessary and useless boards, bureaus and commissions that now are costing millions of dollars a year and rendering no service, we will have money with which to return to you some of the services you have been paying for and not getting."

W. T. Mayo, Shreveport business man, first speaker at the Colfax meeting, severely ridiculed a radio statement made by Fred Barksdale, over a statewide radio hookup Friday night. "Mr. Barksdale, like many other machine and ring supporters, sees the writing on the wall, he sees the Kennon ticket forging ahead, he sees the demise of ring and machine rule in the 'offin' so he starts the propaganda machine working. He will be disillousioned come Jan. 20."

FORMER LIBRARIAN DIES IN FLORIDA

PENSACOLA, Fla., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Miss Elizabeth Howard West, 74, former college librarian in Texas and assistant in the Library of Congress for a number of years, died in her sleep at the home of a sister, Mrs. R. P. Reese, today.

A native of Pontotoc county, Miss., she became the first woman to head a department in the Texas state government when she was named head librarian of Texas Tech College at Lubock. She retired in 1942 and since that time had been engaged in historical research.

At one time, Miss West was research assistant for the Library of Congress on a research mission to Seville, Spain. She was also the author of a number of historical works on Texas and Escambia county, Fla.

She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Reese of Pensacola and Miss Virginia West. Funeral services will be held at the First Presbyterian Church here tomorrow afternoon (2:45 p. m.) and burial will be in a local cemetery.

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BERNHEIM BROS. PRIZE WINNERS

Shown above, (left to right) Henry Colvin, Start, La., who was awarded an Admiral Record changer; Mrs. G. A. Lee, 500 Winnsboro Road, an Admiral Thin Man radio; and Miss Eleona Brinsmade, 2704 Gordon avenue, who won a White Way Washing machine. These awards were made at the recent anniversary celebration of Bernheim Bros., Electrical store.

TRUMAN

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did not commit himself specifically to the Knutson proposal.

Mr. Truman's advisers say that when he sends or delivers his message on the state of the union he will reiterate his previous opposition to general tax cuts.

"While details have not been worked out," one White House adviser said, "the president is prepared to do battle with Congress again on over-all tax reduction. He will not oppose certain shifts to make the tax burden more equitable, but he is opposed to any revisions which would reduce the over-all revenue at this time."

The message will urge again quick congressional approval of the $17,000,000,000 European recovery program, which calls for an expenditure of $6,800,000,000 during the first fifteen months of its operation, starting April 1.

In view of the proposed commitments under that program, and also the high levels of employment and national income, Mr. Truman, the informants said, "will insist this is no time to reduce taxes."

He is expected to take the stand that tax reductions now would contribute to inflation by turning loose additional spending power which could send prices still higher.

The president's friends said he will renew his plea for stand-by authority to reinstall price controls and rationing, and for enactment of other provisions of the 10-point economic program he submitted to the special session of Congress.

They forecast also that the president will renew his recommendations for a universal training program, a national health program providing for compulsory insurance, abolition of the poll tax and the passage of new fair employment practice laws.

Most of the top level White House aides are participating in the drafting of the message, along with Clark M. Clifford, special counsel to the president.

U. S. AND ITALY

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American aid to Italy had totaled $1,900,000,000 since the Italian armistice Sept. 8, 1943.

Dunn said the interim aid program had but one major objective: "To provide immediate assistance in the form of food, fuel and other commodities urgently needed by the people of Italy to alleviate conditions of hunger and cold, and prevent an economic retrogression, which would jeopardize any general European recovery program based on self-help and cooperation."

The Communist organ L'Unita described the interim aid program as "interference with and control of Italian finance and production" by American representatives. The newspaper assailed de Gasperi for underwriting what it described as "clauses of the accord which menace our political and economic independence."

The newspaper said the accord was approved without public discussion and that it "constitutes another chapter * * * in Christian Democratic enslavement to America." De Gasperi is the leader of the Christian Democratic party.

JES' RAMBLIN'

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ing feeding time was as good as an alarm clock.

The Readers' Clique wants Jes' Ramblin to ask any store operators who have broken toys left from Christmas that can be mended, to notify Mrs. Burl Hollis, of Hollis Furniture Company, 805 DeSiard street. It is one of the projects of the clique to repair such toys to be used at another holiday period.

Honors have descended upon Mrs. Herschel Gentry, of 1502 Cypress street, West Monroe, who has been chosen "Homemaker of the Week" and she will be given a free trip to New York to appear on the ABC radio circuit next Wednesday. Her husband sent in a winning recipe which his wife uses to make those delicious cocoanut cakes. Monroyans who listen in on the Betty Crocker Magazine of the Air will hear this recipe given so all may know how it's done.

NOT BIBLE MENTIONED

The brain is not mentioned in the Bible. Only in modern times has this organ's function been known. Aristotle, learned Greek, believed its purpose was to cool the blood.

In Lake Ilopango, San Salvador, a volcanic crater rose above the surface in a single night.

PALESTINE NOW LIVING IN VIRTUAL STATE OF ANARCHY

Supreme Law Becomes Eye For Eye And Tooth For Tooth

By Edward Curtis

Jerusalem, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Palestine now lives in a virtual state of anarchy with the supreme law being "an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth."

For the people in this Biblical land—the Jews, Arabs, British and others—life stumbles on uncertainly. Simple things now are difficult. For many the daily ride to work is a dangerous adventure in an armored bus.

Mail service is uncertain and often non-existent. First the Jewish and then the Arab postoffice workers, demanding more guards and security measures, refused to work. Some mail has been lost to train robbers.

Jerusalem was isolated tonight from the outside world except by commercial telegraph as both Arab and Jewish telephone operators refused to work because of a lack of security on their way to and from jobs. The dial system still was working, permitting local calls, but there were no intercity communications.

Home life for many residents of Palestine has become one continuous move. Thousands of families left their homes because they lived in the "wrong" districts. Speeding vans piled high with the furniture of Jews leaving Arab sections or of Arabs leaving Jewish districts are a common sight.

Neighbors no longer know the names of those who live next door. They know only if they are Jews or Arabs. And all this has occurred in a country where housing already is short.

Business in mixed areas is impossible. The blank dead fronts of shuttered shops warn a passerby he is in "Indian country."

In both the Jewish and Arab districts business still struggles to exist, but except in the predominantly Arab or Jewish towns residents buy only necessities. British and American housewives have discovered that what little beef is left is in the hands of the Arabs and most of the butter and margarine supplies are held by Jews.

Supply services have almost broken down. Road convoys are attacked and train tracks are blasted. Imports choke the main port of Haifa for lack of safe transport throughout the country.

Meanwhile, whole areas live in a state of siege. In the old city of Jerusalem about 1,500 orthodox Jews are cut off by a surrounding sniper-infested Arab area. The Jews are supplied by daily convoys which sometimes fail to reach them.

The No Man's land between Arab Jaffa and Jewish Tel Aviv is barricaded and convoys entering or leaving Tel Aviv from Jerusalem come under sniper fire.

At night in Jerusalem pistol-packing patrols of Arabs and Jews make movement dangerous. Gunfire sputters and bangs intermittently throughout the residential districts mostly in former mixed quarters or along their boundaries. Explosions of "scare" bombs and grenades are commonplace.

Even the dead do not rest in peace. The Jews are making a new cemetery further down the slopes of the Mount of Olives to shorten the distance funeral corteges must go through Arab sniper fire.

At least one government department has been split into an Arab section and a Jewish section. Many business firms report that Arab and Jewish employes refuse to work together. An American manager of a Jerusalem firm said Arab employes wanted to establish a branch in the Arab quarter and the Jews asked to open a Jewish quarter office.

"The situation is becoming impossible," he said cynically. "At least those who have been shot and killed no longer have to worry."

A Hagana source said that the Jewish defense force is convinced it can take, hold and defend a Jewish state in partitioned Palestine, but that it will take two or three years and will cost many more lives.

A young Jewess, who received training as a Hagana intelligence officer through several years of working in the anti-Nazi undergrounds of Europe, expressed this conviction. She said:

"We know the Jews of Palestine and of the world are up against the toughest fight they ever had."

Hagana's optimism, she explained, was based on the expectation that the United States would come to the aid of the Jews by exerting economic pressure on the Arab states and because Arab resistance to Zionism is economically much more paralyzing to the Arabs than the Jews. This is so, she said, because the Arab masses live on a day to day basis and one day's interruption of income means a loss of that day's food.

DEATHS

ADRIAN W. CARROLL

MAYFIELD, Ky., Jan. 3.—(Special)—Adrian Watson Carroll, 75, former resident of Monroe, La., died in a hospital here Friday noon following a sudden heart attack.

Mr. Carroll and his wife moved to Mayfield four years ago to be near their son, Evan Carroll, who owns the Dr. Pepper Bottling Company's plant here.

Besides this son, Mr. Carroll is survived by his wife, another son, Francis Carroll of Mayfield, and five daughters: Mrs. Donnie Eldridge of Dallas, Tex., Miss Erna Carroll, Mrs. Lester Cramblett of Memphis, Tenn., Miss Rena Lee Carroll and Miss Mae Carroll of Memphis, Tenn., and three grandsons.

Mr. Carroll was a native of Columbia, La.

MRS. AGNES GRIFFIN

Mrs. Harold Riggs of Monroe received word that her aunt, Mrs. Agnes Whiting Griffin, died yesterday in Los Angeles after an illness of a year. Mrs. Riggs' parents have been with Mrs. Griffin for the past year during her illness.

The funeral and interment will take place in Los Angeles on Monday.

Mrs. Griffin leaves a brother, Henry Whiting of Bay Pines, Fla.; a sister, Mrs. Mabel Strinkle of Pontiac, Mich.; two nephews and one niece.

WESLEY BENNETT DOUGLAS

Wesley Bennett Douglas, 53, died in the Caldwell Hospital in Columbia, December 22. The funeral was held at Mt. Pleasant Church with Elder R. W. Rhodes officiating. Interment was in Welcome Home Cemetery. He was an active member of Caldwell Post No. 162 of the American Legion and there was a military service at the grave. Members acting as pallbearers were: G. O. Gray, F. C. Love, C. E. Stringer, C. C. Minard, Percy Hindman, and Houston Douglas. Members of the firing squad were: John J. McKeithen, Otis Darden, Clayton Starling, Lee Brown, Ben Williams, Dick Oliveaux and W. J. Whittard, Jr.

He is survived by his wife; daughter, Mrs. Glen Gilbert; son, George Wesley Douglas; one granddaughter, Glenda Lee Gilbert; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Douglas; three brothers, Willie and Lonnie Douglas of Grayson and Ray Douglas of Forester, Ark; four sisters, Mrs. M. L. Pace, Mrs. M. J. Richardson and Mrs. Robert Fore of Grayson; Mrs. E. W. Pace of Start, and many nieces, nephews and other relatives.

JOHN M. REEVES

COLUMBIA, La., Jan. 3.—(Special)—Funeral services for John M. Reeves, 54, formerly of Olla, who died in the Veterans Hospital in New Orleans late Thursday afternoon, will be held at the Beach Creek Baptist Church Sunday at 2:30 p. m. with the Rev. F. L. Hearne, of Monroe, officiating. Interment will follow in the Beach Creek cemetery under the direction of the Riser Funeral Home of Columbia. Grave rites will be in charge of the American Legion of Olla.

Mr. Reeves is survived by his wife, Mrs. Alfa Reeves of Pollack; four sisters, Mrs. F. M. Smith of Olla; Mrs. Jessie M. Garner of Olla; Mrs. H. A. Reed of Winnfield, and Mrs. Bob Hammons of Crowville, and one brother, T. E. Reeves of West Monroe.

W. J. COLVILLE

Funeral services for W. J. Colville, 47, of West Monroe, who was shot to death by his wife New Year's day, will be held at the chapel of the Davis-Lawhead Funeral Home Sunday at 2 p. m. with the Rev. D. D. Cantrell, officiating. Interment will follow in the Riverview Cemetery under the direction of the Davis-Lawhead Funeral Home.

He is survived by his wife and stepdaughter; four daughters, Mrs. Bernice Beebe, Mrs. Faye Warner, Mrs. Blanche Rhodes and Miss Jackie Colville, all of Memphis; five sons, Billy, Doc, Huey, George and Benny Colville, also of Memphis; two sisters, Mrs. Walter Dubose of Lucedale, Miss., and Mrs. Cliford Earl of New Milford, Conn., and five brothers, J. H. and T. J. Colville, both of Miss., and C. B., R. L. and Woodrow Colville, all of Ala.

Pallbearers will be: E. L. Beebe, W. A. Smith, Bill Hogge, B. Garrett, Albert Bridges and L. T. Larsean.

A new electronic navigator for airplanes is expected to ease airport traffic conditions. It will have the effect of broadening the nation's air lanes at least 10 times at each flight level.

MOVING MARINES MAY AID GREECE

Scheduled To Sail Tuesday For Troubled Mediterranean Area

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The dispatch of some more marines to the troubled Mediterranean had diplomats guessing today whether the move represents an unspoken pledge of stronger American backing for Greece.

The navy said the purpose was "merely shipboard training" for an undisclosed but probably small additional number of men. The state department said it gave approval on this basis.

The action had the effect nevertheless of recalling a plain spoken warning against recognizing a Greek guerrilla rump state, expressed 72 hours earlier by Under Secretary of State Lovett.

By failing to specify what the United States might do in the event the warning was disregarded, Lovett similarly contributed to uncertainty—particularly in Moscow and Balkan capitals—over the firmness of this government's policy of supporting Greece and Italy against Communist pressure.

Responsible officials declined to say that the two moves had the same aim of reassuring the two Mediterranean governments and confusing their Communist foes but acknowledged it was obvious this might be the effect. Moscow read such intent into the earlier dispatch of the battleship Missouri and the aircraft carrier Franklin D. Roosevelt into Mediterranean waters.

To put American marines or army troops ashore to actually help the Greek army against the guerrillas would require an act of congress and there has been no hint of intent by the administration thus far to propose such a step.

Under authority of the $300,000,000 Greek aid legislation, the administration is considering shifting further funds from economic to military purposes to bolster the Greek armed forces.

The marine reinforcements are due to sail Tuesday from Morehead City, N. C. They are for the carrier Midway and three light cruisers in Greek and Italian ports. Although the navy disclosed no numbers, officials assumed only a few hundred men were involved. The normal full complement of a 45,000 ton carrier such as the Midway is 2,200 men, including about 100 marines, and the cruisers carry about 1,000 men each, including some 50 marines.

The navy also has 10 destroyers in Mediterranean waters to "show the flag" and provide peacetime training.

ATTLEE

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arisen in the other capitalistic countries."

"Where there is no political freedom, privilege and injustice creep back," Attlee said. "In Communist Russia, 'privilege for the few' is a growing phenomenon, and the gap between the highest and lowest incomes is constantly widening."

"It is ironical that today the absolutists who suppress opposition much more vigorously than the Kings and Emperors of the past masquerade under the name of upholders of democracy."

He said the British labor party was following a middle course.

"That is not to say that our ideas are in any sense 'watered down capitalism' or 'watered down Communism'; nor that they constitute a temporary halting place on a journey from one creed to the other.

"Ours is a philosophy in its own right. Our task is to work out a system of a new and challenging kind, which combines individual freedom with a planned economy, Democracy with social justice."

Attlee spoke from Chequers, the nationally-owned country home for Britain's prime ministers, where he went today to observe his 65th birthday.

NON-STOP REFUELING

The frigate bird refuels while aloft. One of the fastest of all birds, it secures its food in unscrupulous manner, by diving at other birds, causing them to drop their prey, which the frigate bird catches in mid-air.

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PRINCESS IN SHORTS—Princess Anne of Bourbon-Parma relaxes in her parents' villa at Copenhagen. She and King Mihai of Romania are reported to be in love and awaiting his government's approval of their marriage.

STEEL OFFICIALS ASKED TO TESTIFY

Congress Committee Wants Information On Alleged 'Black Market'

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Officials of eight major steel companies were asked by a congressional investigating committee today to testify Monday on alleged "black market" operations in steel involving an estimated $1,000,000,000 a year.

The steel inquiry will mark only the beginning of what is planned to be a sweeping investigation into so-called "black" of "gray market" conditions generally, as voted by congress at last month's special session.

The idea is to learn details of transactions, outside normal trade channels, at prices far above the open market.

Subsequently hearings are expected to delve into many allied fields, including the automotive industry, housing and public works, with the aim of exposing the sources of semi-secret supplies and driving scarce materials back into normal channels.

Rep. Macy (R.-N.Y.), chairman of a House public works subcommittee, said the steel inquiry will get under way Monday (2 p. m. EST) with high officials of the following companies scheduled to testify:

U. S. Steel, Bethlehem Steel, Inland Steel, American Rolling Mills, Jones and Laughlin, National Steel, Republic Steel and Youngstown Sheet and Tube.

Macy blaming more or less furtive under-the-counter dealings for many disruptive aspects of the nation's economy, including shortages and high prices, said in a statement:

"Black marketing has reached unconscionable proportions. Certain persons are taking advantage of abnormal market conditions resulting from the war to enrich themselves unjustly.

"Their activities tend to keep many essential items in short supply, thus adding to the burden of inflationary prices.

"Some sources have estimated that between four and 12 per cent of the total steel output of the country finds its way into this vicious market. At average black market prices, this would amount to a $1,000,000,000 business."

Macy said his committee has received reports of steel selling in the "black market" at six to seven times above mill prices. Actually, the term "black market" is a misnomer since OPA ceiling prices have gone by the board and the words were stricken from Macy's own House resolution calling for the investigation.

Man has been able to attain a temperature of 7,200 degrees Fahrenheit.

RUSSIA CONTENDS TROOPS REDUCED

BUDAPEST, Hungary, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Russia in a note to Hungary has stressed that a reduction of Soviet military strength in this country was effected by Dec. 14, in conformance with article 22 of the Hungarian peace treaty, a government announcement said today.

The statement said Russia explained that Soviet army forces remaining in Hungary are "only those units which are necessary to secure the lines of communications" to the Soviet occupation zone in Austria.

The Russian note was handed to Communist Matyas Rakosi, deputy Hungarian premier and acting foreign minister, by Soviet Minister Gregori Pushkin on Dec. 30, the statement said.

On Dec. 25, the Associated Press reported on the basis of an eye-witness field survey that Soviet forces still in Hungary included 25,000 troops, 400 fighter planes and 50 tanks.

The Hungarian foreign minister later characterized this dispatch as "libel" but did not issue any other figure on Soviet forces.

The Soviet note, as released today, likewise did not disclose the strength or composition of Russian "lines of communications" units. Presumably those units will stay in Hungary as long as Austria is occupied.

Authoritative western allied sources have said that 5,000 troops would be a "generous" number for Soviet communications requirements here. The peace treaty Hungary signed with the allies makes no stipulation as to the number.

The 400 Soviet fighter planes are reported still visible on airfields at Papa and Veszprem.

CANCER

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"other specialists who in past years were called to Russia."

His trip corresponded in some ways with that of another Swedish specialist, Prof. Herbert Olivecrona, world famous brain surgeon, who was suddenly called to Moscow for "consultations" in February, 1936.

Without knowing the name of his patient, he flew to Koenigsberg in East Prussia where a Russian plane met him. It later turned out he had operated on a high Soviet official, Ivan A. Akulov, then the Soviet Union prosecutor and secretary of the all-union central executive committee.

Official Russian sources here claimed to be completely in the dark. The Soviet consul said he did not know when the visa for the specialist was requested or issued, since files in the case were locked up. The press office of the Russian embassy said it knew nothing beyond what was published here.

Maya Indians of Yucatan believe that aged vultures enter the dens of armadillos and change into armadillos themselves.

PICK DEPENDABLE MAN, SAYS LONG

Delivers Five Speeches In St. Landry And Acadia Parishes

OPELOUSAS, La., Jan. 3.—(Specal)—"Pick the man you can rely on to make you a good governor," Earl K. Long urged voters in the second of five speeches he made today in St. Landry and Acadia parishes.

"Just 17 days from today you must go to the polls and elect a governor and a set of state offficals to run Louisiana for the next four years," he said. "This is hghly important to you because the men you elect will have an important bearing on the lives, the happiness and the prosperity of every man, woman and child in the state.

"Don't be misled by all this ranting and raving they are doing against me," he said. "They are calling me every name under the sun, but don't be fooled. They are only trying to becloud the issues.

"Examine the qualificatons of each candidate. Look at his public record and then make up your own mind who will be most likely to give you the kind of service you are entitled to in the governor's office," he said.

Long charged that Sam Jons in 1939 had promised repeal of the sales tax, payment of a $30 old age pension and a comprehensve road building program—"none of which promises were kept," Long declared.

He asserted that during the 11 months he was governor in 1939 that he built the only state tuberculosis hospital, that he raised homestead exemptons from $1,000 to $2,000 and built more farm-to-market roads, bridges and other improvements than were ever built in any similar period of time in the state's history.

"This should convince any reasonable man or woman that I will give you a better government than you could expect from any of the other candidates," he said.

Long pointed out he had refused to promise a $30 old age pension in 1939 when Sam Jones made that promise because he didn't feel it could be paid and repeal the sales tax.

"Sam didn't repeal the sales tax nor did he give you the pension," Long said. "But I pledge you with all the sincerity of which I am capable that I'll pay the old age pension 60 days after you elect me governor, and if I had any doubt about my ability to pay this it would be the last thing I would promise.

"My opponents say my old age pension plank is a vote catcher and is fantastic. Not so. Other states without the revenue that Louisiana has are paying a pension and we'll pay one as sure as you elect Earl Long your governor."

Speaking with Long was William J. Dodd, candidate for Lt. Governor, who pleaded for the voters to rally behind the Long ticket and end the campaign on January 20.

"Do that and we'll save the cost of a second primary," Dodd said. "This means we'll be saving the state $500,000 which will be matched by the federal government and we will have a million to start the old age pension program," he said.

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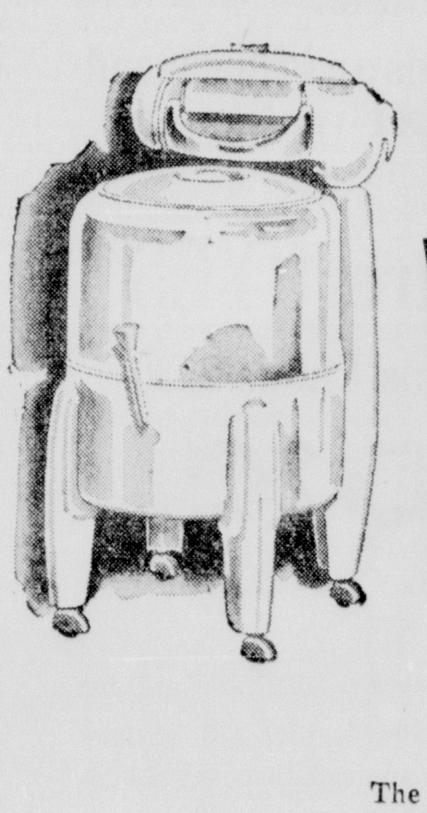

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STATE POLICE TO BE MADE ISSUE

Mississippi Force To Encounter Strong Legislative Opposition

JACKSON, Miss., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Mississippi's first state police force, created at a labor-opposed special session called in November to end violence in a bus strike, bids to become a major issue in the regular session which convenes Tuesday.

Authorized in one of six bills pushed through the brief November session, the state force—labeled by its opponents as a "gestapo"—has not yet been faced with its first overt act of violence. It was created to investigate violence.

No violence has been reported since the force was organized and equipped, Col. T. B. Birdsong, director, reported. He said no charges have been based on the new statutes.

Staffed by "secret" personnel, the force was created by the legislature to give Governor Fielding L. Wright power which he said he did not have to cope with violence that developed in the months-old strike against the Southern Bus Company, Inc.

Governor Wright has declared he will not ask the legislature to continue the force, known as the Mississippi bureau of investigation, on the present basis which permits the personnel to be unidentified.

He has indicated he will request creation of a state police force empowered to help enforce the state's prohibition law. It's use for such purposes, however, would be restricted to lending assistance in the counties only on requests from the sheriffs or by petition from citizens.

The governor has held that the present bureau can deal only with violence and cannot be used to enforce the prohibition laws.

Although prohibition is a state-wide measure its enforcement depends on the local officials. In some counties the law is enforced. In others liquor is sold openly.

In previous sessions, Mississippi sheriffs have opposed the creation of a state police force. They contend it would infringe on the principle of home rule.

Pro-labor legislators in the special session termed the state police bill the most objectionable of seven introduced for the announced purpose of curbing violence.

Other opposition came from legislators who said they were interested only in safeguarding the people from police powers too drastic.

The act permits the governor to employ investigators with state-wide authority to make arrests without warrants in crimes of violence.

The other five bills:

1. Provided $100,000 to carry out the anti-violence program.

2. Made it illegal to shoot or hurl missles at any transportation facility.

3. Made it illegal to possess explosives for violent purposes and established possession by a person who does not use them in normal business as prima facie evidence of possession for purposes of crime.

4. Made it illegal to conspire to carry out, or to carry out, acts which would unlawfully obstruct transportation facilities.

5. Made it illegal, upon threat of capital punishment, to bomb transportation facilities.

One other bill, described as an anti-intimidation measure, passed the house but died in senate committee after a labor meeting had asked Governor Wright to veto it if it came to him. He made no commitment.

Labor leaders had protested the bill could have been interpreted to illegalize picketing.

The special session was convened after buses and company buildings had been fired on.

The strike was called May 20 by the Amalgamated Association of Street Car, Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employes of America (A. F. of L.), after a disagreement on wages. Violence followed when the company began employing drivers to replace those on strike.

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Sam Pettingill Talk—abc
Wm. Shirer Comment—mbs

1:15—News Commentary—abc
Singing Canaries—mbs-basic

1:30—Chicago Roundtable—nbc
Doorway to Life—cbs
Sammy Kaye Serenade—abc
To Be Announced—mbs

2:00—Robert Merrill Concert—nbc
CBS Is There—cbs
Lee Sweetland Show—abc
Stephen Graham Drama—mbs

2:30—James Melton Concert—nbc
Bob Reid Sings—cbs
The Sunday Vespers—abc
News: Veterans' Panel—mbs

2:45—To Be Announced—cbs

3:00—Music Parade, Comment—nbc
New York Philharmonic—cbs
Lassie, Dog Drama—abc
Theater of Song—mbs-basic

3:15—Johnny Thompson—abc

3:30—One Man's Family—nbc
Week Around World—abc
The Juvenile Jury—mbs

4:00—Quiz Kids, Joe Kelly—nbc
Are These Our Children?—abc
House of Mystery—mbs

4:30—Musicana of Chicago—nbc
To Be Announced—cbs
Opera Auditions—abc
Detective Mysteries—mbs

5:00—The Sunday Theater—nbc
To Be Announced—cbs
Bill Lance Adventures—abc
The Shadow Drama—mbs

5:15—The Two Phils, Music—cbs

5:30—Phil Spitalny Girls—cbs
Counter Spy Drama—abc
Quick as a Flash—mbs

5:45—Sunday Commentary—cbs

Evening

6:00—Catholic Radio Service—nbc
Rice Stevens Time—cbs
Drew Pearson Comment—abc
Those Websters, Drama—mbs

6:15—News Summary—abc

6:30—Hollywood Preview—nbc
Percy Faith Concert—cbs
Greatest Story Ever Told—abc
Nick Carter, Detective—mbs

7:00—Jack Benny Comedy—nbc
The Gene Autry Show—cbs
Child's World Forum—abc
Sherlock Holmes—mbs

7:30—Phil and Alice—nbc
Blondie-Dagwood Comedy—cbs
Exploring the Unknown—abc
Gabriel Heatter Show—mbs

8:00—Edgar Bergen, Charlie—nbc
Sam Spade Adventures—cbs
Detroit Symphony Hour—abc
The Mediation Board—mbs

8:30—Fred Allen Comedy—nbc
The Man Called X—cbs
Movies Commentary—mbs

8:45—News Broadcast—mbs

8:55—Five Minutes News—cbs

9:00—Merry-Go-Round—nbc
Meet Corliss Archer, Skit—cbs
Walter Winchell Time—abc
Meet Me at Parky's—mbs

9:15—Hollywood Comment—abc

9:30—Album of Familiar Music—nbc
Tony Martin, Alan Young—cbs
Theater Guild Hour—abc
Jim Backus Comedy—mbs

10:00—Take It or Leave It—nbc
Christopher Wells, Drama—cbs
Voices of Strings—mbs

10:30—Horace Heidt Show—nbc
Strike It Rich, Quiz—cbs
Commentary of Movies—abc
Latin-American Serenade—mbs

10:45—Buddy Weed Trio—abc

11:00—News & Variety 2 hrs.—nbc
News, Variety, Dance 2 hrs.—cbs
News and Dance Band—abc
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12:00—Dancing Continued—abc-west

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8:00—Old-Fashioned Revival Hour	Local
9:00—Church of Christ	Local
9:30—Music for Sunday	Local
10:00—Message of Israel	ABC
10:30—U. P. News—Joe Pierce	Local
10:45—Carmen Cavallero	Local
11:00—Baptist Church Service	Remote
12:00—George Barnes Octet	ABC
12:15—Raymond Swing, News	ABC
12:30—Sunday Serenade	ABC
12:55—To Be Announced	ABC
1:00—Musical Question Box	Local
1:30—Baptist Crusade	Local
2:00—Treasury Show	Local
2:15—America's Future	ABC
2:30—Teletime	Local
3:00—Sound-Off	ABC
3:30—Charlie Spivak Orch.	Local
4:00—To Be Announced	ABC
4:30—Counterspy	ABC
5:00—Drew Pearson, News	ABC
5:15—Monday Morning Headlines	ABC
5:30—Greatest Story Ever Told	ABC
6:00—Freddy Martin Orch.	Local
6:15—Salute To A Song	Local
6:30—Exploring the Unknown	ABC
7:00—Sunday Evening Hour	ABC
8:00—Walter Winchell	ABC
8:15—Louella Parsons	ABC
8:30—Theatre Guild on the Air	ABC
9:30—Music to Remember	Local
9:45—Buddy Weed Trio	ABC
10:00—News Summary	ABC
10:15—Vera Massey Sings	ABC
10:30—Your Radio Chaplain	Local
10:45—Lean Back And Listen	Local
11:00—News Summary	ABC
11:05—Hotel Stevens' Orch.	ABC
11:30—Palmer House	ABC
11:45—O'Henry Ballroom Orch	ABC
11:55—News	
12:00—Sine	

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2:30—Nat Brandywine Orch	Local
3:00—Micha Borr Orch.	Local
3:30—Ralph Ginsburg Orch.	Local
4:00—Guest Star	Local
4:15—Harry Horlick	Local
4:30—Music for the Soul	Local
4:45—Popular Records	Local
5:00—Symphony Hall	Local
5:30—Feesta	Local
6:00—Moon Dreams	Local
6:15—Salute to Song	Local
6:30—News—Mac Ward	Local
6:45—Fiesta	Local
7:00—Concert Under the Stars	Local
8:00—Walter Winchell	ABC
8:15—Chapel by Side of the Road	Local
8:30—Music for Sunday	Local
8:45—News	
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SUNDAY

6:00—Sunday Morning Serenade	Local
6:30—Sunday Morning Serenade	Local
6:45—Ever Ready Gospel Quartet	Local
7:00—News	Local
7:15—Sacred Heart Program	Local
7:30—Baptist Hour	Local
8:00—Church of Christ	Local
8:30—Moods in Music	CBS
8:45—News	Local
9:00—Voice of Prophecy	Local
9:30—Church of the Air	Local
10:00—News—A Capella Choir	CBS
10:15—Morehouse Choir	Local
10:30—Salt Lake Tab. Choir	CBS
11:00—Sunday Morning Worship	Local
12:00—Lutheran Laymen's League	Local
12:30—News—Business News—Music	Local
12:45—Sunday Serenade	CBS
1:00—The Wayne King Show	CBS
1:30—Music Hall of Fame	CBS
1:45—Album of Musical Portraits	CBS
2:00—N. Y. Philharmonic	CBS
3:30—Eileen Farrel	CBS
4:00—Janett Davis Sings	CBS
4:15—Here's To You	CBS
4:30—The Hour of Charm	CBS
4:45—Musical Portraits	Local
5:00—The Family Hour	CBS
5:30—The Pause That Refreshes	CBS
6:00—Sunday Morning Serenade	Local
6:30—Blondie	CBS
7:00—Adventures of Sam Spade	CBS
7:30—Man Called X	CBS
8:00—Meet Corliss Archer	CBS
8:30—The Gordan MacRae Show	CBS
9:00—Christopher Wells	CBS
9:30—Strike It Rich	CBS
10:00—News-College Choir	Local
10:15—Report from Washington	CBS
10:30—CBS Is There	CBS
11:00—News—Art Mooney's Orch.	CBS
11:30—Marty Gould's Orch.	CBS
12:00—News—Music for Dreaming	Local
1:00—News	Local
1:05—Sine	

BAILEY TO HEAD STERLINGTON CLUB

O. K. Bailey of Sterlington will head that town's newly organized Lions Club, it was learned yesterday.

Bailey was elected Tuesday night to round out the list of officers following the resignation of Harvey Gregg who stepped out on advice of his physician.

Assisting Bailey in directing the community of the 25 members will be: Speck Varnado, secretary and treasurer; Morris McCain, Lion tamer, M. F. Moncrief, tail twister.

First, second, and third vice presidents, respectively, L. B. Stall, B. F. Gregg, and Olen H. Manhart. Directors, one year, Harvey Gregg and W. M. Mendell; two years, M. S. Dixon and J. M. Powell. Speck Varnado, secretary, said that charter membership will be held open until January 9, at which time charter night will be staged.

Next meeting of the club will be January 6, at 6:30 p. m. at the A. L. Smith school cafeteria.

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8:15—Story To Order	NBC
8:30—Good News Hour	Local
9:00—National Radio Pulpit	NBC
9:30—Christian Science Heal	Local
9:45—Golden Bells Quartet	Local
10:00—Ave Maria Hour	Local
10:30—News Highlights	NBC
10:45—Sports Highlights	Local
10:50—Drew Pearson	Local
11:00—Grace Episcopal Church	Remote
12:00—The Eternal Light	NBC
12:30—Chicago Roundtable	NBC
1:00—RCA Victor Show	NBC
1:30—Harvest of Stars	NBC
2:00—The Sheaffer Parade	NBC
2:30—Lutheran Hour	Local
3:00—Quiz Kids	NBC
4:00—The Ford Theater	NBC
5:00—The Catholic Hour	NBC
5:30—Hollywood Star Preview	NBC
6:00—Jack Benny	NBC
6:30—Fitch Bandwagon	NBC
7:00—Charlie McCarthy	NBC
7:30—Fred Allen	NBC
8:00—Longine Musicale	Local
8:15—Guest Star	Local
8:30—American Album of Music	NBC
9:00—Take It Or Leave It	NBC
9:30—Horace Heidt	NBC
10:00—Rev. A. C. Lawton	Local
10:15—Cesar Searchinger	NBC
10:30—Dave Garroway Show	NBC
11:00—News	NBC
11:05—Jimmy Featherstone Orch.	NBC
11:30—Henry Russell's Orch.	NBC
11:55—News	NBC
12:00—Sine	

LOUISIANA HOSPITAL PROGRAM IS READY

BATON ROUGE, La., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Louisiana's program to build private hospital facilities with federal aid is now ready for the start of actual construction, Gov. Jimmie Davis' office said today, and therefore the state department of institutions has taken over administration of the program.

An announcement from the governor's office said that a survey of Louisiana's hospital needs, carried out under the direction of Charles Mitchell, executive assistant to the governor, now has been completed.

Director of Institutions Robert L. Pettit said that his assistant, Jesse H. Bankston, would be in direct charge of the construction program.

The federal act involved provides $2,156,475 in federal funds to match private contributions of $4,312,950 during the 1947-48 fiscal year.

Communities in Louisiana interested in participating have been ranked in accordance with their needs, Mitchell has said, with the highest priorities going to those with the least facilities.

Pettit said a construction advisory committee would include representatives of the governor's office, the welfare department, the public health service, the agriculture extension service, the Louisiana Hospital Association, the Louisiana Medical and Dental Societies and the Louisiana State Nurses Association. Three lay persons will represent hospital users, he added.

NO ONE KNOWS USE OF ELECTRICAL GADGET

DALLAS, Jan. 3.—(AP)—There's an electrical gadget on sale at an army surplus goods store here, price $45, but no one knows what the machine is.

Store Owner Chester Klingman purchased it from the army medical corps. The corps had paid $900 for it but they didn't know what it was. Neither did the manufacturer, whom Klingman wrote.

"We don't know what it is," a reply said. "The army asked for it and gave us a plan for making it."

Several physicians were stumped.

One commented: "It might have been intended for use in cauterizing wounds but you could never cauterize a wound with it."

So Klingman has set the price at $45. "The electric motor and generator are worth that," he said.

RULING WITHOUT TRIAL IS ASKED

Justice Department Says Real Estate Boards Admitted Charges

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The Justice department asked the federal courts today to rule without a trial on its civil anti-trust suit against the National Association of Real Estate Boards and the Washington, D. C., real estate board, contending the defendants "have admitted the truth" of many charges against them.

The move was announced by John Ford Baecher, first assistant attorney in the anti-trust division, who said the courts have been requested to order the two organizations to stop practices which brought about the civil anti-trust suit.

The civil suit asks that provisions of the constitution and by-laws of the N. A. R. E. B. and the Washington board which require or permit uniform commission fees be declared in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

Addressing its motion to the federal district court here, where the suit was filed Aug. 27, 1947, the Justice department said that the defendants have admitted that realtors in Washington have been required to maintain certain commission rates in order to belong to the real estate associations.

Baecher said in a statement that the defendants not only are the local and national real estate boards, but also are the executives and members of each.

"The defendants in their pleadings in court have admitted the truth of so many of the substantial facts charged against them by the anti-trust division that the government claims it is entitled to judgment without the necessity or expense of further trial," Baecher said.

While the action is based on activities of real estate operators in Washington, it is applicable nationwide to local groups which are members of the Natonal Real Estate Board.

The government's motion for judgment contends the real estate boards admitted that Washington realtors had agreed "as a condition of membership, to abide by the code of ethics of each organization, which requires the realtors to agree that they 'should maintain the standard rates of commission adopted' by the Washington Real Estate Board and that 'no business should be solicited at lower rates.'"

Admissions "establish that the defendants have fixed commission rates in the District of Columbia in violation of section 3 of the Sherman act," the government claims.

The government also has a criminal anti-trust suit pending in the matter, but only against the real estate boards, not against individual members. It is scheduled to come up for hearing in district court March 12. On Sept. 4, 1947, the local and national boards pleaded innocent to charges in the criminal suit.

The term "fowl" is not always understood by housewives. As used by the poultry trade "fowl" means hens weighing from about 3 to 6 pounds and usually over 1 year old. In some retail markets fowls are called "bakers"; it is important, however, not confuse them with young, soft-meated roasting chickens. In contrast to younger birds suitable for roasting, fowl can be identified by their coarser-grained skin, firm flesh and usually by more fat.

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IRISH, WOLVERINES CLAIM NATIONAL 'TITLE'

STATISTICS GIVE MICHIGAN BETTER CAMPAIGN GRADE

Backers Of Crisler's Crew Think It Deserves More Consideration

By Lyall Smith
Sports Editor Detroit Free Press

DETROIT, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Michigan or Notre Dame?

That was the No. 1 collegiate question of 1947. It still is the No. 1 collegiate football question of 1948. Maybe the '47 debate was answered by the Associated Press poll which found Notre Dame handed the mythical crown belonging to the national champion.

Statistics don't always tell the whole story, but they have been forced to do just that in the absence of a game between the teams.

Here they are. Make up your mind.

They played three common foes. Notre Dame beat Pitt, 40 to 6, a margin of 34 points; Michigan beat Pitt, 69 to 0. Notre Dame defeated Northwestern, 26 to 19, a margin of seven points; Michigan beat the 'Cats 49 to 21, for a 28-point advantage. Notre Dame stopped U. S. C., 38 to 7, in what Coach Frank Leahy termed his team's "greatest game of the year," while Michigan slaughtered the same Trojans, 49 to 0.

Against those three common opponents the Irish scored 104 points to 32. Michigan's margin was 167 to 21.

Notre Dame won nine straight games. Michigan won 10. The Irish scored 291 points, Michigan 394. Notre Dame had 52 points scored against, the Wolverines had 53.

That means Notre Dame's average score per game was 32.3 points while Michigan's was 39.4 for a margin of one touchdown and one conversion per contest. On defense, Notre Dame's average was 5.77 while the Wolverines' was a stingier 5.3.

Now for comparative schedules. Which team played the toughest foes?

The teams Michigan played won 42 games, lost 46 and tied five. Notre Dame's adversaries won only 30, lost 45 and tied six.

Army undoubtedly was Notre Dame's most noteworthy foe and bowed by a 27-7 count. Yet Army's record of five victories, two defeats, and two ties with its triumphs coming over Navy (1-7-1), Washington and Lee (4-5), Virginia Poly (5-4), Colorado (4-5) and Villanova (6-2-1).

Only three of Notre Dame's nine opponents won five or more games. Purdue won five, lost four; Army won five, lost two and tied two, while U. S. C. had a 7-2-1 mark.

Michigan had six of its 10 foes with five or more triumphs. Michigan State won seven, lost two. Minnesota won six, lost three. Illinois won five, lost three, tied Army; Wisconsin and Indiana each won five, lost three and tied one, while U. S. C.'s record already is shown.

MARATHON RACER HEADS EAST, ENDS UP WEST IN EFFORT TO GET IN SHOW

SHREVEPORT, La., Jan. 3.—(AP)—An army corporal who headed west going east wound up in Shreveport tonight instead of at the annual invitation track meet sponsored by the Evening Star in Washington, D. C.

He is T/5 Kurt Steiner, army marathon champion, who won his title in the National A. A. U. meet at Yonkers, N. Y., Oct. 26.

The races tonight are carded as indicators of Olympic material and Steiner had hoped to place high enough in the 2-mile run to merit consideration for the army Olympic team. But he won't make it this time. He is stranded.

Steiner left his base at Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Md., Dec. 22 to spend the Christmas holidays with relatives in Virginia and Mississippi and had hoped to run in a meet at New Orleans Jan. 1. A mixup on the date of the New Orleans race, which is actually scheduled for Jackson day, Jan. 8 but will be held Jan. 10, left Steiner stranded in Memphis, Tenn., when a storm struck and his air-hitch-hiking operations came to a halt.

Hoping to make it back to Washington for the Evening Star race tonight he took the first available plane out and wound up in Oklahoma—where air traffic is heavier. In Oklahoma, where he was also stranded two days, Steiner started east again and got to Shreveport in time to miss an east-bound army plane by ten minutes tonight.

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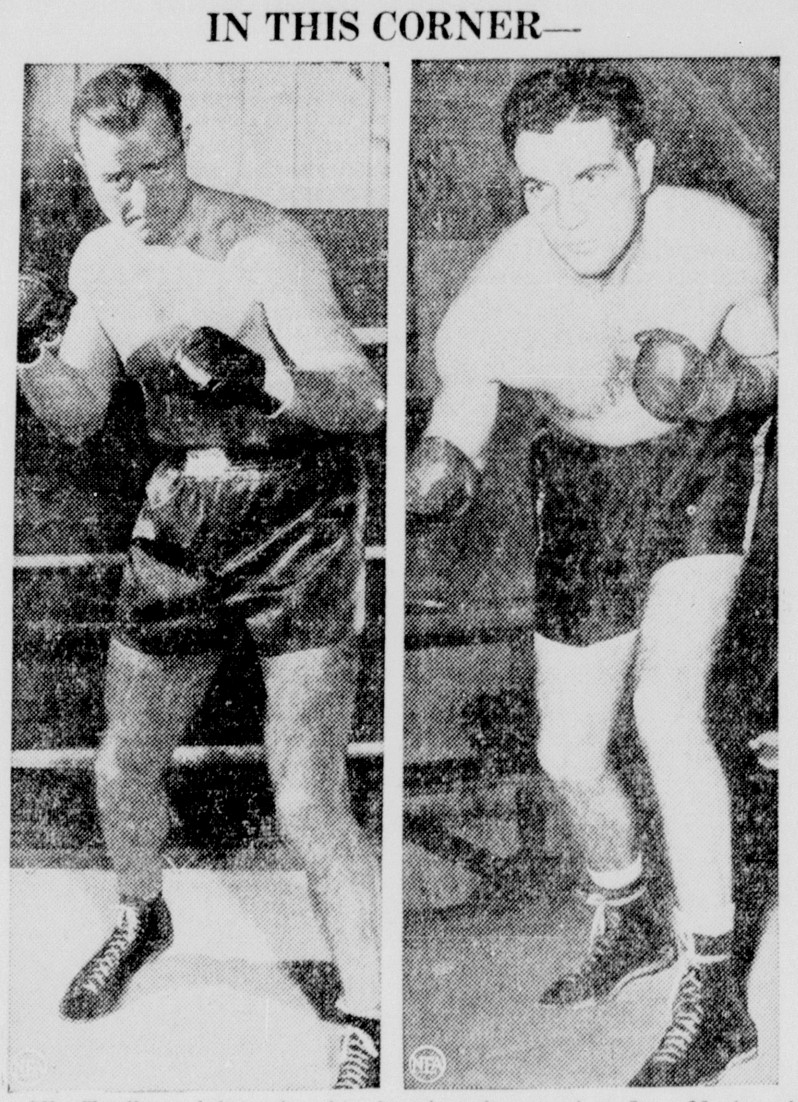

Olle Tandberg, left, makes his American bow against Joey Maxim of Cleveland in a 10-round match at Madison Square Garden, Jan. 9. The Swedish titleholder has designs on heavyweight championship.

Rose Bowlers Proudly Compare Two Great Michigan Football Machines

'02 Wolverines, By Present Scoring System, Would Have Won 55-0

By Bill Becker

PASADENA, Jan. 3.—(AP)—After a lapse of 46 years, along come Michigan's Mighty Wolverines with another 49-0 Rose Bowl victory to stir the memories of football patriarchs.

Willie Heston and Company—The first of the late Fielding H. Yost's point-a-minute teams—made mincemeat of Stanford in the very first of the New Year's day games under the auspices of the Tournament of Roses.

RECOUNT ASKED

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Which is the better football team—Michigan or Notre Dame?

This hot stove—or is it hot gridiron?—question looks like the winter's major subject for debate.

So the Associated Press, conductor of the weekly football polls during the regular collegiate football season, is polling member newspapers throughout the country.

Each paper is to ballot on which team it likes—as of now—Michigan or Notre Dame.

The regular AP poll closed after Dec. 6 with Notre Dame ranking first with 1,410 points, and Michigan second with 1,289.

The new poll may show up any switch in sentiment on the basis of Michigan's strong Rose Bowl showing against Southern California Thursday, but of course will not supercede the regular season poll.

Votes must be in by noon Monday, Jan. 5.

It was a performance of power virtually without parallel until the 34th game—Jan. 1, 1948—when Bob Chappuis and his mates ran roughshod over Southern California.

Delving into the account of that inaugural—which actually was played at Tournament Park (The Rose Bowl wasn't built until 1923)—here's what oldtimers found in Maxwell Stiles' History of the Rose Bowl:

The 1902 Wolverines played the entire game without substitutions, whereas Fritz Crisler used 35 men, shuttling specialists on and off field like chessmen.

The Yostmen scored eight touchdowns, four extra points and a field goal for their 49-point total; the present Wolverines made seven TD's and seven conversions. In 1902, a touchdown counted five, field goal five, conversion one. Under present scoring, the old Michigans would have racked up 55 points.

There was no passing in the 1902 game. The forward pass hadn't been legalized yet, and it was largely a matter of tug and punt, tug and punt.

Heston did most of the gaining, running for 170 yards in 18 trips, a 9.4 average, with 49 yards his longest; Chappuis, setting a Rose Bowl record of 279 yards, passed for 188 and ran for 91, with 38 the longest.

Yet neither Heston nor Chappuis scored. In each Michigan victory, tallying honors went to the fullbacks—Neil Snow and Jack Weisenburger. The latter made three touchdowns last Thursday, but Snow racked up five on plunges of six, two, eight, 17 and four yards in 1902.

An End named Sweeley punted 21 times for the old Michigans (a Bowl high), averaging 38.9 yards. The current Michiganders had to punt only four times and Weisenburger averaged 38.25.

At left guard for the Yostmen was Dan McGugin, who later became famed as grid coach at Vanderbilt.

They led Stanford 17-0 at halftime, but roared for 32 in the last half; Crisler's boys made 21 in the first half, 28 later.

Both, oldtimers agreed, closing the book with a sign, were some teams. About the only edge they could concede the modern Michigan was passing—Chappuis and Co. completed a record of 17 tosses. But then Heston never threw.

There also was a difference in the crowds. Whereas 93,000 customers jammed the Bowl in 1948, an estimated 8,000—most of them standing in a rectangle around the field—saw the Tournament Park inaugural.

RECREATION LEAGUES

SENIOR LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Studebaker	3	0	1.000
Red Shield Club	2	1	.667
American Legion	1	2	.333
Woodmen of World	0	3	.000

Tuesday's Games
Studebaker vs. W. O. W.
American Legion vs. Red Shield.

MIDGET LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Spatafora's Pharmacy	3	0	1.000
Red Shield Club	2	1	.667
Calvert's Drugs	1	2	.333
L. T. I.	0	3	.000

Tuesday's Games
Spatafora vs. Calvert's.
Red Shield vs. L. T. I.

GIRL'S LEAGUE
Wednesday's Games
Nurses vs. Louisiana Business College.
Red Shield vs. Southern Bell.

JUNIOR LEAGUE
Tomorrow's Games
L. T. I. vs. Red Shield.
W. O. W. vs. Calvert's.

Thursday's Games
Key Club vs. L. T. I.
Red Shield vs. W. O. W.

SEVEN HEARTS TAKES DIAMOND JUBILEE RUN WITH 3-LENGTH EDGE

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Seven Hearts outstripped a field of seven at the Fair Grounds here today, to win the Diamond Jubilee Handicap, $10,000-added feature race, by three lengths over the nearest competitor.

Flareback came in second and Dockstader third.

The winner was heavily played by a good crowd, many of whom stayed over from the Sugar Bowl football game of New Year's day to witness the race honoring the Fair Grounds' 75th birthday.

Seven Hearts paid $4.40 for $2 in the mutuels to win, $3.80 to place and $3.00 to show.

To keep ahead, Seven Hearts had to pull away twice from Flareback. The winner started off strong, leading by a length in the back stretch of the mile-and-an-eighth contest, but widened out toward the finish.

The winner netted his owner $7,360.

SETTLE DISPUTE ON GRIDIRON, SAYS SOUTH BENDERS

Michigan Should 'Just Put Notre Dame Back On Their Schedule'

By James Costin
Sports Editor, South Bend Tribune

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Notre Dame led throughout most of the season in the weekly Associated Press poll, but dropped back to second place after a comparatively poor showing on Nov. 15 against Northwestern while Michigan was thumping Wisconsin.

Then Notre Dame won its eighth and ninth games in decisive fashion, while Michigan finished with a comparatively poor showing against Ohio State, so Notre Dame got back into first place as the season closed.

That's that, most of us thought. But not so. Notre Dame was all through for the season, but Michigan had a 10th game to play in the Rose Bowl against a team that had been thoroughly trounced less than four weeks before by Notre Dame. The score was 38 to 7.

Michigan, completely closing the gates of mercy on a hapless rival on what was practically the latter's home grounds, poured it on to such an extent that its score mounted to 49 to 0. So immediately the hue and cry went up that Michigan was a better team than Notre Dame because Michigan won over Southern Cal by 49 points whereas Notre Dame's margin was only 31 points over the same team.

Hold another poll, some of the second guessers urged. Hold another nationwide Associated Press poll and see what happens. So that's what they're going to do.

Why not let Notre Dame play a 10th game, too? If that happened, you wouldn't have to hold another poll, as far as Notre Dame followers are concerned, because the team Notre Dame would select for its 10th opponent would be Michigan.

Why, if Michigan's outstanding teams are so much better than Notre Dame's, don't they put the Irish back on their schedule and prove it on the playing field, rather than have their followers yell for another Associated Press poll—four or five weeks after the regular season has ended?

Take all of the extracurricular votes and polls you want to, the fact still stands that if Michigan and the rest of the Western Conference teams want to claim superiority over Notre Dame, they don't have to resort to sport writers' votes or Associated Press polls to do it.

Just put Notre Dame back on their football schedules and prove it on the playing field.

ISLAND TOURNEY OPENING FRIDAY

18th Annual High School Cage Meet Already Has 46 Entries

SICILY ISLAND, La., Jan. 3.—(Special)—With today the deadline for entries to be filed, 46 teams had entered the 18th annual Sicily Island High School Invitation Basketball Tournament Friday and Director C. B. Coney expected this year's field to top that of 52 for 1947.

The Natchez High School boys and Ogden girls, both champs in their respective divisions last year, already have filed their entries for the event which will be held Friday and Saturday, January 9, 10.

Parings will be made Monday.

Entries by Thursday were:

Boys—Wisner, Forest, Ogden, Olla, Block, Vidalia, Newellton, Crowville, Harrisonburg, Natchez, Waterproof, Enterprise, Washington, Lake Providence, Central, Ferriday, Ft. Necessity, Winnfield, Jena, Oak Ridge, Trout-Good Pine, Winnsboro and Sicily Island.

Girls teams were entered from all the above schools with the exceptions of Olla and Oak Ridge. In addition, Baskin and Monticello have entered feminine teams.

CRANFORD'S STYLE DUE FOR ATTENTION

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Jackie Cranford, A 26-year-old Washington, D. C., war vet, is a factor to be considered in future heavyweight calculations.

If the Twentieth Century Sporting Club's all-heavyweight show at Madison Square Garden last night produced one legit contender, it is Cranford, a good-looking blond kid with a crew hair cut and a pleasing ring style.

Cranford ended a personal feud with Bernie Reynolds from Fairfield, Conn., by knocking out the New England lad in 2:08 of the second round of their scheduled ten-rounder. Each had won once in two previous decision battles.

Cranford, a standup boxer with a fine left hand, has been an in-and-out performer since his discharge from the coast guard. After rolling up a string of wins, he was beaten by Erv Sarlin at Pittsburgh and knocked out by both Phil Muscato and Ross Strickland at Buffalo in the summer of 1946.

Now there is talk of matching Cranford with the winner of next Friday's Garden bout between Cleveland's Joey Maxim and Olle Tandberg, the Swede who upset Joe Baksi. Cranford is pretty light to be mixing with the big boys at 181.

Tagua nuts furnish vegetable ivory which competes successfully with synthetic materials in the manufacture of buttons.

Bowling

MAJOR LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
S. and M. Tire Co.	36	15	.706
KMLB	35	16	.686
Guerriero Insurance	28	23	.549
Bennett's Service	28	23	.549
News-Star—World	26	25	.510
Lover's Lane Pharm.	22	29	.431
Guyton-Cote Radio	16	35	.314
Hollywood Drive-In	13	38	.258

Tomorrow's Games
KMLB vs. S. and M.
News-Star vs. Bennett's.
Guerriero vs. Guyton-Cote.
Lovers' Lane vs. Hollywood Drive-In.

MAJORS' BIG SIX

Player	Games	Avg.
Finkbeiner, KMLB	48	183
Peddy, News-Star	46	178
Holmes, News-Star	45	178
A. Jones, KMLB	51	177
Snapp, Bennett's	48	176
Holloway, S. and M.	44	173

High game: Durham, KMLB, 245; Holmes, News-Star, 236; "Casey" Jones, News-Star, 233.

High series: Finkbeiner, KMLB, 643; Holmes, News-Star, 616; Malone, Guerriero, 608.

High team game: KMLB, 983; Bennett's, 929; News-Star, 928.

High team series: KMLB, 2,749; News-Star, 2,690; S. and M., 2,641.

Team's high pin average per game: KMLB, 848; News-Star, 833; S. and M., 822.

SERVICE CLUB LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
American Legion	21	6	.777
Monroe Kiwanis	20	7	.740
Y's Men	13	14	.481
Exchange Club	12	15	.444
W. M. Kiwanis	9	18	.333
W. M. Lions	6	21	.222

Games Wednesday
Y's Men vs. Exchange Club.
W. M. Lions vs. W. M. Kiwanis.
American Legion vs. Monroe Kiwanis.

Team High Three	
Y's Men	2306
Monroe Kiwanis	2229
American Legion	2180
Team High Single	
Y's Men	802
Monroe Kiwanis	801
American Legion	785
Individual High Three	
Smith	565
Cash	553
Burlingham	545
Individual High Single	
Smith	258
Cash	251
Garrett	215
Ten Leading Bowlers	
Snapp	171
Smith	169
Cash	164
Burlingham	162
McGee, Dub	158
Stewart	156
Malone	155
Garrett	146
Preston	145
Moore	145
White	145

UMPIRING SCHOOL SET FOR ORLANDO

ORLANDO, Fla., Jan. 3.—(Special)—Sand-lot, semi-pro, and professional umpires anxious to get a start in Class D baseball should look with interest upon an announcement today by the Florida State League which on January 15 opens its second annual free tuition umpiring school at Orlando, largest city in the loop.

According to an announcement by League Secretary Peter Schaal, box 609, Ocala, Fla., the school is open free to any able-bodied man in America, married or single.

All that is asked of the prospect is that he appear at the Lamar hotel in Orlando at 10 o'clock Thursday morning, Jan. 15, where he will be greeted by League President A. S. Herlong, Jr., and other league officials, and in turn be introduced to Bill Summers, veteran American League umpire, who will conduct the school.

All sessions after Jan. 15 will be held at Tinker Field, Orlando, and there the prospects will gain practical experience by working games for the Joe Stripp Baseball School which will be in session at the same time.

Top nine graduates, as selected by Mr. Summers will be offered contracts with the Florida State League for 1948. A minimum salary of $250 will be written into the pact unless the candidate has had pro experience.

Quoting Secretary Schaal, "All a man needs is enough money to take him to Orlando and back home, and provide for his board, room, and other incidentals through Feb. 14, day the school ends."

John Ganzel, veteran baseball figure who is business manager of the Washington owned Orlando entry in the state league, will help all prospects secure rooms for their stay in Orlando. He says room and board is available at from $15 to $20 per week, with rooms in private homes as low as $5 per week.

BLOCK QUINTET SLATES FAT JANUARY SCHEDULE

JONESVILLE, La., Jan. 3.—(Special)—Block High School's basketball teams will have a full schedule in January, including three tournaments.

Coach Frank Bishop's boys and Coach Eldon Doughty's Lady Bears will play doubleheaders Tuesday with Sicily Island in Jonesville; with Ferriday, there, January 16; Waterproof, in Jonesville, Janesville, January 20, and at Waterproof, January 27.

Tourney play will carry the Blockers to the sixteenth annual invitational event at Sicily Island, January 9-10, to the annual Harrisonburg Invitational Tourney January 23-24, and back home January 30-31 for the eighth annual Block High Invitational affair.

TO EACH HIS OWN—

For each city dweller in the United States, farmers raise an average annual crop of one-fourth acre of wheat, one-eighth acre of cotton, and three-fourths acre of corn.

FAIR PARK'S LEE HEDGES NATIONAL ALL-STAR PLAYER

Two From Louisiana On Prep All-America; Ramsey Player Outstanding

OKLAHOMA CITY, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The Wigwam Wisemen of America today announced its 44-man All-American high school football squad which it said would play an East-West All-Star game next August.

Mose Sims, chairman of the athletic committee of the Wisemen, said the exact time and place of the game will be set later. More than 100 of the nation's sports writers were polled before selections were made.

John Baumgartner, 16, sophomore back from Ramsey High of Birmingham, Ala., was selected for a special award as the outstanding young player in the nation. The players comprising the first four teams are all seniors.

Harry Agganis, 18-year-old back from Classical High of Lynn, Mass., was made captain.

The squad:

First team—Bill Sans, E, Lincoln of San Francisco; James Mutcheler, E, Beaver Falls, Penn.; Martin Kiousie, T, Cathedral of Cleveland, O.; Johnny Marolo, T, Hempstead, L. I., N. Y.; Edward Listopal, G, Patterson Park, of Baltimore; Oscar Wolfe, G. Warren Easton of New Orleans; Byron Boji, C, Austin of Chicago; Harry Agganis, B, Classical of Lynn, Mass.; Byron Townsend, B, Odessa, Tex.; Bill Bowers, B, Canoga Park of Los Angeles; Mickey McMullen, B, South of Denver, Colo.

Second team—George Maloff, E, Marist of Atlanta, Ga.; Ed Weir Jr., E, Lincoln, Nebr.; Eldon Peterson, T, Story City, Iowa; Dick Logan, T, Mansfield, Ohio; Russ Shogran, G, East of Wichita, Kas.; Paul Rouse, G, Central of Knoxville, Tenn.; Bob Griffin, C, Frederick, Okla.; Bill Farris, B, Wilson of Porthmouth, Va.; Leon Lippman, B, El Camp, Tex.; Ronnie Clark, B, Roosevelt of Chicago; Frank Hauff, B, McKinley of St. Louis.

Third team—Bob Rooney, E, University Hi of St. Louis; Bill Glazier, E, Mesa, Ariz.; Marion Campbell, T, Chester, S. C.; Robert Evans, T, Catholic Hi of Philadelphia; Bo Reid, G, Ackerman, Miss.; McGowan Hunt, G, McGill of Mobile, Ala.; Tom Geagham, C, Baptist Hi of Bangor, Maine; Keith Flowers, B, Perryton, Tex.; Dick Arledge, B, Chillicothe, Ohio; Lee Hedges, B, Fair Park of Shreveport, La.; Dave Marcelli, B, Poly of San Francisco.

Fourth team—Bill Beckman, E, Muskogee, Okla.; William McColl, E, Hoover, of San Diego; Kenneth Kirkpatrick, T, Lewiston, Idaho; Bill Wilson, T, Sam Houston of Houston, Tex.; Jim Seib, G, Memorial of Evansville; Joe Zeni, G, Carlsbad, N. M.; Seikichi Miyachiro, C, Hilo, Hawaii; Len Sheppard, B, Marion of Ardmore, Pa.; Carl E. West, B, Amory, Miss.; Gordon Pendleton, B, Thornton of Saco, Maine; Dick Gregory, B, Billings, Mont.

BEARCATS AGAIN BEAT WILDCATS

Broom Ball Title Will Be Decided Tonight At Kallio's Arena

The Monroe Bearcats appeared well on their way to the championship of the Broom Ball Tournament, "hockey on roller skates," at Gus Kallio's Arena here last night as they scored their second victory of the meet over the Monroe Wildcats, 4 to 0, to give them an 8-1 edge for the tournament. One game ended in a tie, 1-1.

The final game is scheduled for tonight, beginning at 8:30 o'clock, and the Wildcats are faced with a super-task if they expect to overhaul the favored Bearcats.

With Bill Wood leading the way, the Bearcats skated to victory on goals by Wood, Courtney Childers, and Jimmy Rainer, Wood accounting for two of them. Also playing with the winners were Kenneth Aswell, and Johnny Robeau.

Even if the Wildcats failed to produce a score, they gained a measure of satisfaction in holding Robeau scoreless for the second night straight. Robeau had entered the tournament as the Bearcats' high pressure offensive man with nine goals in pre-tourney practice sessions and two in the opening game.

Performing for the Wildcats last night were Captain Ray Shirley, outstanding goalie, and Arvel Shirley, J. B. Moses, George Gandy, and Al Martin.

The Wildcats plan a practice session this afternoon before entering the final game tonight.

Blue ribbons will be awarded the players by Promoter Kallio at the end of tonight's show.

CRACKERS GET KENNEDY AWAY FROM LOOKOUTS

ATLANTA, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Purchase of Bill Kennedy, Chattanooga southpaw and the only Southern Association pitcher to win 20 games last season, was announced today by the Atlanta Crackers.

The straight cash deal was announced by Cracker President Earl Mann, who said Atlanta bought Kennedy's contract from the Washington Senators of the American League. He declined to divulge the cash outlay involved.

Pitching for the Lookouts last season Kennedy won 20 games and lost 11. He worked 263 innings, gave up 284 hits and 125 runs, 16 of which were earned. He fanned 107 batters and walked 75.

SANTA SUSANA STAKES TAKEN BY MRS. RABBIT

ARCADIA, Calif., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Lou Rowan's Mrs. Rabbit, a comparative outsider in the wagering, today won the $50,000 Santa Susana Stakes, a seven-furlong test for three-year-old fillies. Brookfield Farms' Itsabet was second, with Candy Kane third.

A crowd of 44,500 saw Mrs. Rabbit score her second straight Santa Anita Park triumph by a half-length margin after overhauling the early pacesetters in the stretch.

Ridden by Jockey Bobby Permane, Mrs. Rabbit stayed close to the leaders, Itsabet, Miss Mommy and Nita Fly, and then came around to win in the final furlong. The winner paid $14.20, $6.90 and $4.60.

Itsabet returned $10.10 and $7.50 to her backers, while Candy Kane $4.90.

The winning time was $1.24.

Highly regarded Miss Mommy, a consistent eastern stakes performer for Mrs. Dale Shaffer, finished fourth in the 13-horse field.

ALLIGATORS EN ROUTE FOR GAMES WITH L. S. U., WAVE

GAINESVILLE, Fla., Jan. 3.—(AP)—The University of Florida basketball squad left today on the jaunt which will see them engage L. S. U. in Baton Rouge Monday night and Tulane in New Orleans Tuesday.

Nine cagers accompanied Coach Sam McAllister. Bill Atkinson, letterman and regular forward, was forced to remain here because of a leg injury.

O. P. H. S CAGERS INVADE RUSTON FOR 2 BATTLES

Lion Varsity And 'B' Teams Play Bearcats Tomorrow Night

The Ouachita Parish High School Lions, after breezing past Calhoun in their season opener here Friday night, 66-18, invade Ruston for expected stiffer opposition tomorrow evening when they meet the Ruston High School basketeers on a double header program. The Lions' "B" cagers tackle the Bearcat second team in the opener at 7 o'clock, and the varsity game will begin at 8 o'clock.

The game will be the season opener for Coach "Moose" Phillips' Bearcats who have four games on tap for the week, playing at home with Ouachita, Haynesville, and Bossier City on successive nights, and then going to Homer for their first out-of-town encounter Friday night.

Ouachita and Ruston squads have been working out only since last Monday, but Coach Herbert H. Holliman's Lions looked mighty impressive against Calhoun.

With nine lettermen back from last

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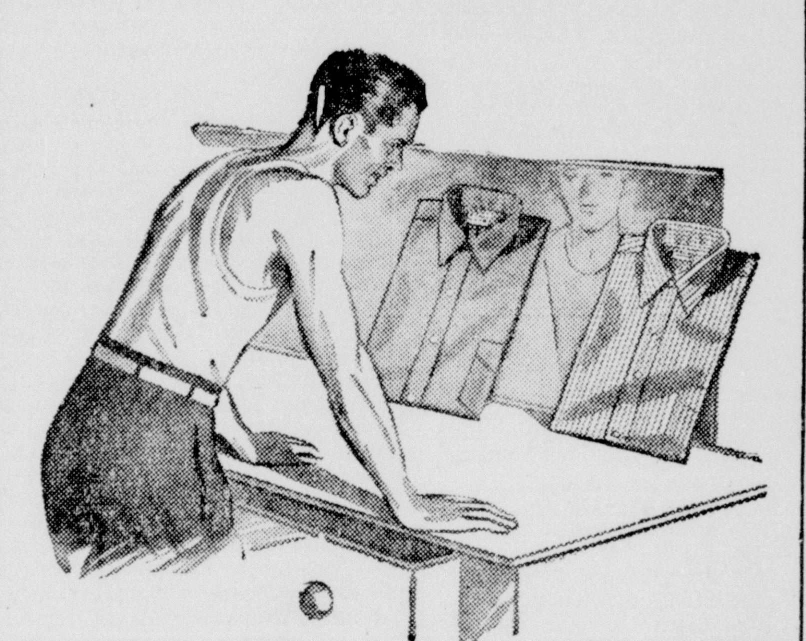

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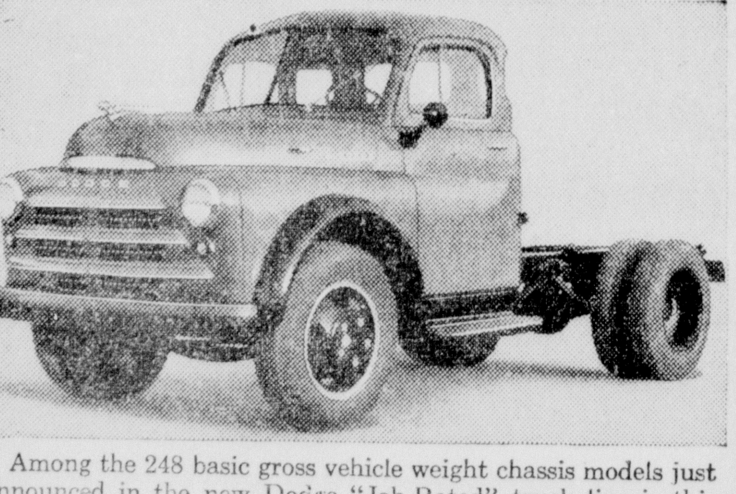

Among the 248 basic gross vehicle weight chassis models just announced in the new Dodge "Job-Rated" truck line is this B-1-H tractor of 128-inch wheelbase, 15,500 pounds gross vehicle weight (1½-ton nominal rating) and 28,000 pounds gross train weight. The trucks have many new features.

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HOGAN MOVES AHEAD IN LOS ANGELES OPEN

FOUR RIVALS TIE FOR SECOND, TWO STROKES BEHIND

Jack Harden, First Round Leader, Skids Out Of Picture

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Little Ben Hogan, repeating his performance of a year ago, took charge of the 22nd annual Los Angeles Open at the midway point today as a gallery of 10,000 persons turned out under ideal weather conditions at Riviera Country Club.

Firing his second successive subpar round in as many days, Hogan posted a 36-hole total of 68-70—138 with another cool disregard of the par-71 course.

The halfway stage of the event, which winds up Monday, found Hogan two strokes in front of the field.

In winning the tournament last year, Hogan trailed by one stroke after the first round. He was one shot back starting out today, and as the leader, Jack Harden of El Paso, Tex., slipped to a 77, and such challengers as Bobby Locke of South Africa, unknown Bill Spiller of Los Angeles and former National Open Champion Lloyd Mangrum failed to keep the pace, Hogan forged to the front.

Bracketed together immediately behind Hogan were Roberto de Vincenzo of Rosario, Argentina, P. G. A. champion of his country; Vic Ghezzi of Kansas City, Kans., Canadian Stan Leonard of Vancouver, B. C., and Ed Furgol of Pontiac, Mich.

Four shots back of Hogan were Lloyd Mangrum, Herman Keiser of Akron, O., who shot a 68 today; former P. G. A. Champion Bob Hamilton of Evansville, Ind., with a 69, and Spiller, the ex-red cap, whose 68 matched Hogan's yesterday.

"Knickerbocker Bobby" Locke, having trouble with a new driver off the tee, and none too much luck on the greens, took 73 strokes to get around and tied with Sammy Snead at 143.

Today's top scorers at the end of 36-holes:

Ben Hogan, Hershey, Pa., 68-70—138.
Roberto de Vincenzo, Argentina, 72-68—140.
Vic Ghezzi, Kansas City, Kans., 69-71—140.
Stan Leonard, Vancouver, B. C., 72-68—140.
Ed Furgol, Pontiac, Mich., 71-69—140.
Lloyd Mangrum, Los Angeles, 70-72—142.
Herman Keiser, Akron, O., 74-68—142.
Bob Hamilton, Evansville, Ind., 73-69—142.
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SPORTS ROUNDUP

by Hugh S. Fullerton, jr.

NEW YORK, Jan. 3.—(AP)—When the National Collegiate A. A. bigwigs start their discussion of the "purity" code next week, somebody is bound to point at the Pacific Coast Conference's Rose Bowl record for the past three games and say, "Look." . . . Those three shellackings the westerners have taken probably stem directly from the celebrated "athertonizing" of the conference. . . . Football declined everywhere during the war, but due to intensive application of the "purity" idea, it hasn't made a comeback on the Pacific slope. . . . At the other extreme, the college baseball coaches will continue their effort to bring a little less purity into their game. Their complaint is that the professional clubs grab every boy who isn't obviously a strict amateur.

Week's Worst Gag

Troye Svendsen, Tulane University basketballer, served as "King Nor" the children's monarch, in the New Orleans Mardi Gras pageant at the age of 12, leading a 15-float parade down Canal Street. . . . Now 22 years old and 6 feet, 3 and 1/2 inches in height, Svendsen still has to take it when needlers call him "King Troye." . . . That, of course, is the Helen it.

Shorts And Shells

Football fans probably never will settle the argument, stemming from Michigan's Rose Bowl triumph, whether the Wolverines or Notre Dame had the best 1947 football team, but if Johnny Lujack and Bobby Layne both play pro ball with the Chicago Bears, they'll get a chance to end the dispute about who is the best passer. . . . Sure, its Sid Luckman. . . . The Boston Braves are offering 180 "sky view" box seats at $200 per copy for the season. They're the rooftop seats used as a football press box and won't be available if the Braves get into the World Series. . . . Colgate's highly-touted freshman football team has lost only one of its players so far. Halfback Louis Sequella quit school and has been variously reported as headed for Notre Dame, Alabama and a few other places. . . . The basketball Knickerbockers, who play their third Saturday afternoon game in the Garden today, drew 25,102 customers to the first two matinees.

Looking Back

Wonder what the Phillies' Bob Carpenter, who apparently is frustrated in his efforts to get baseball players for mere money, would give for another deal like the one which brought old Pete Alexander to the Phils. . . . Philadelphia drafted Alexander from Syracuse in 1910 for $500 and the Syracuse club thought it was a pretty good deal. . . . Seems that Charley Carr, who had Alex at Indianapolis, also was interested in a sporting goods company and wanted the New York State League to adopt his ball. So he gave the pitcher to the Syracuse club for its vote.

O. P. H. S. CAGERS

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year, the Lions' offensive looked particularly hot with Ernest "Buster" King, John "Buddy" Clifford, Robert Kirby, Mark Boatright, Jimmy George, and Lawson Fleming getting good shares of the scoring.

After the Ruston contest the Lions will give Calhoun a return game Thursday night, and Ruston will return the O. P. H. S. visit on January 30. Ouachita also has games slated in pairs with El Dorado, Ark., Bolton of Alexandria, and Fair Park of Shreveport, but Coach Holliman said playing dates still remained to be decided in some instances.

Ruston has joined the North Louisiana Basketball League of Class A and Class AA teams that included Bossier City, Haynesville, Homer, St. John's of Shreveport, Byrd of Shreveport, Springhill, Minden, and Ruston. The Bearcats play each team twice and participate in the Minden Tournament January 15-17, and will also play Ouachita as the only non-league opponent.

The Bearcat schedule has been announced as follows:

Jan. 5, Ouachita at Ruston.
Jan. 6, Haynesville at Ruston.
Jan. 7, Bossier City at Ruston.
Jan. 9, Homer, there.
Jan. 13, St. John's at Ruston.
Jan. 15-17, Minden tournament.
Jan. 20, Byrd at Shreveport.
Jan. 22, Springhill, there.
Jan. 27, Homer at Ruston.
Jan. 29, Minden, there.
Jan. 30, Ouachita at Monroe.
Feb. 3, Springhill at Ruston.
Feb. 5, St. John's at Shreveport.
Feb. 10, Minden at Ruston.
Feb. 12, Haynesville, there.
Feb. 17, Bossier City, there.
Feb. 19, Byrd at Ruston.

LOWTHER RETURN GIVES STRENGTH TO L. S. U. CAGERS

Tigers Open Southeastern Conference Play With Florida Tomorrow

BATON ROUGE, La., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Louisiana State's freshman-studded basketball team makes its Southeastern Conference debut here Monday night against Florida in the university's arena.

Inaugurating the season with an overwhelming 72-43 victory over Spring Hill College, Coach Harry Rabenhorst's Bengal basketeers tasted defeat in five big chunks, losing to Rice, Texas, Canisius, Long Island University, and Texas A. and M.

The latter was a one-point loss suffered in the opening round of the Fort Worth Invitational Tournament last spring.

The Tigers did salvage some prestige in the Texas tourney, defeating Hardin-Simmons 62-46 and T. C. U. 52-46, to cop the consolation trophy.

Entering the lineup for the first time this season in the T. C. U. game was Bobby Lowther, the Tiger's star forward for the past three years. He led his teammates in scoring with 15 points.

The rangy side-shot expert from Alexandria, La., will bolster the Tiger lineup considerably.

Leading the Tiger scorers in eight games to date is Freshman Bob Meador of New Albany, Ind., with 94 markers, followed by Sophomore Dick Merrell, with 78.

Following their game with Florida, the Tigers play a return engagement here with Rice on Friday, and return to conference competition Saturday meeting Georgia Tech.

GRAYSON'S SCOREBOARD

By Harry Grayson

BOSTON, Jan. 3. — (NEA) — Billy Southworth views the Braves' 1948 chances Darkly.

That is to say Dark lights up the National Leaguers' outlook in their battle with the Red Sox for patronage and prestige in Boston.

Alvin Dark

Alvin Dark, you see, was the recruit-of-the-year in the American Association, and he plays shortstop, which has been the one big flaw in the Braves' armament since Manager Southworth switched from the Cardinals to the land of the bean and the cod two years ago.

Donie Bush, who played considerable shortstop himself, calls the Louisiana State alumnus the best young play of the position he has seen in years. Bill Meyer, who this year steps up as manager of the Pirates, describes him as the slickest to appear in the Association in many campaigns. Outfielder Eric Tipton, formerly with the Reds, says he is all that and something to spare.

What encourages Southworth to an even greater extent is the fact that Dark batted .303, led the circuit in two-base knocks and runs scored and was up around the top in practically everything else.

After having had a look at Dark at Fort Lauderdale, Fla., last spring, Southworth predicted that he would be one of baseball's all-time fast men.

All Dark has to do to round out the Braves is live up to 50 per cent of his raves and be half as good a short-stop as he was a running and passing halfback for L. S. U. He could really scoot and throw that thing in football.

If Dark comes through, owners Louis R. Perini, Guido L. Rugo and Joseph Maney will richly deserve whatever additional success he brings to the soaring Redskins.

The Three Little Steam Shovels ponied up $50,000 for the one-time L. S. U. Tiger's signature, a bonus barely exceeded by the record one that went to Dick Wakefield of the Detroit Tigers.

Another big hope on the N. L. side in Beantown is that the temperamental Outfielders Jim Russell and Jeff Heath will respond to Southworth's magic touch. Russell, a switch hitter, has the physical equipment to be another Tyrus Raymond Cobb. J. Geoffrey Heath manufactured 27 home runs as a lowly Brown last trip.

Johnny Sain last season became the second Brave since 1915 to win 20 or more games two years in a row. Paired with him as a 21-game winner was Warren Spahn with the lowest earned-run average in the wheel. Bill Voiselle pitched magnificently for Southworth after being swapped by the Giants, and now that Ol' Ninety-Six has lost a choice crop of varicose veins, Billy the Kid rather expects to have a right-hander to join Sain and The Profile as 20-game winners.

Red Barrett's earned-run mark was the 12th lowest in the league last season. If Ernie White could stage a comeback, the Braves' pitchers could slam the door in the faces of a lot of batters. Southpaw Glenn Elliott is coming back, and there will be the usual sprinkling of new faces.

Among other things, the Braves have the most valuable player in the league at third base in Bob Elliott, and a home run manufacturer at first in young Earl Torgeson.

The rich Red Sox no longer have things their own way at the bucks office in Boston, and all goes for the National League leaders on the field.

National League baseball will be promoted aggressively in the Hub while controlled by Perini, Rugo and Maney.

And the Braves will play the same way as long as Billy Southworth runs the works.

Curtis-Laye Match Headlines Mat Program At Kallio's Here Tuesday

Champion Gives Ex-Champ Non-Title Bout; Peters Meets Castle

Charlie Laye vs. Jack Curtis, the match wrestling fans of the Twin Cities have been waiting for, was announced last night by Promoter Gus Kallio as the main event on his catch-as-catch-can show here Tuesday night.

The only hitch to the long awaited meeting between Laye, present holder of the world's light heavyweight belt, and Curtis, who lost the crown to the Knoxville tussler a few months ago, is that the champ won't be risking his belt.

"Laye wanted a $500 guarantee if he had to risk his belt," Promoter Kallio said. "I didn't feel like I'd be able to meet his terms at this time, and so the bout will be a non-title affair."

Kallio said there would be no advance in prices for the show which he expects to attract the largest crowd of the past few months.

Laye, who has looked pretty impressive here after a bad showing on his opening night, is about the same weight and build of Curtis and a good match is in prospect.

Right here, it might be said in Laye's favor, that he's not an alibi artist. When the champ looked so bad against Bob Castle in his first match here several weeks ago he could have claimed illness in explaining away his "bad night." But Laye took the jeers of the mat addicts in stride, and it has since been learned that he had been a victim of ptomaine poisoning three days before that match and couldn't possibly have been at his best.

Although he failed to get the requested guarantee in a bid to put his title on the line, Laye isn't too anxious to accommodate Curtis.

"I'm not too anxious to give Curtis a title shot anyway," Laye told Promoter Kallio. "He ran from me long enough, making it plenty hard for me to get my title chance, before that match was finally arranged. Now Mr. Curtis can cool his heels on my doorstep until I get ready to let him in."

"I've also heard a lot of Monroe fans are wondering how I ever beat Curtis in the first place. Well, I'll show them how it was done if that's what they want to know. Curtis is a good wrestler, but he's just another man to me. I had him over-rated before the match in which it took what used to be his belt. But since that meeting I know I've got plenty over Curtis and can take him any time, any title or no title."

Semi-final attraction on the card that begins at 8 o'clock will bring together rowdy Bob Castle, Toledo, Ohio, and Mel Peters, Portland, Ore. Castle, a rough and tumble grappler, is pretty well known here, but Peters made his local debut only the past week in a tag team show.

Curtis and Laye will battle over a 90-minute time limit route with two falls to win. The Castle-Peters match will have an hour time limit.

DEADLINE JAN. 15 FOR LEGION FIVES

Teams Entering Tourney Are Urged To Register With Fox At Ruston

RUSTON, La., Jan. 3.—(Special)—All American Legion posts of the Fifth District of Louisiana are being urged by Lawrence J. Fox, Ruston, district athletic officer, to file their entries for the District American Legion Basketball Tournament before January 15. The entries must be sent to Fox here.

Six teams were represented in last year's first annual tournament which was held at Northeast Junior College gymnasium at Monroe.

The basketball committee, at a recent meeting, decided against the formation of a league in the district because of the great distance between contending teams.

The managers of the teams will be permitted to play as many games as they choose with any high school, college or independent teams they choose until tournament time which is expected to be held the week of February 12.

The winner of the Fifth District championship will compete in the state legion tournament. Jonesboro represented the northeast district in the state tourney last season, reaching the semi-finals before losing out.

BASKETBALL Results

Tulane 68, Mississippi Southern 52.
Manhattan 53, Dartmouth 50.
Kentucky 98, Western Ontario 41.
Southwestern Louisiana 47, Cities Service Semi-Pro 39.
U. of Louisville 69, U. of Dayton 53.
Colorado 50, Temple 45.

Friday Scores

Duquesne 54, Arizona 51.
Tulane 64, Vanderbilt 56.
Kentucky 65, Cornell 53.
Pennsylvania 53, Miami (Fla.) 46.
Wake Forest 52, Chatham (Independent) 41.
Notre Dame 42, Purdue 40.
Iowa Central 65, Cornell (Iowa) 40.
St. Louis 61, Holy Cross 46.
Western Reserve 63, Brown 52.
Ill. Wesleyan 57, Louisiana Tech 44.
Seton Hall 63, Baldwin-Wallace 54.
Yale 70, Wayne (Mich.) 50.
Butler 64, Indiana 51.
Arkansas 74, San Francisco 58.
Oregon State 48, Portland 44.
Stanford 52, Oregon 45.
Washington 54, California 51.

TWO NEW LOOPS GIVE TWIN CITIES 5 CAGE LEAGUES

Junior And Girls' Circuits Will Begin Play Here This Week

Two more basketball leagues swing into action here this week when the Girls' League and the Junior League open their winter campaigns. The new additions bring the number of cage loops under the supervision of Commissioner W. C. Royce and Jack Hesketh, director of the Monroe Recreation Department, to five.

The Junior circuit, boasting five teams, starts play tomorrow evening with Louisiana Training Institute and Red Shield meeting in the first game, and Woodmen of the World playing Calvert's Drugs. The Key Club, fifth member of the loop, is idle this week, but opens Thursday against L. T. I.

First games in the Girls' League send the St. Francis Nurses against Louisiana Business College in the first game of a doubleheader Wednesday night. Red Shield and Southern Bell clash in the second.

The schedule for the two leagues was announced last night by Director Hesketh as follows:

Girls' League

January 7 — Nurses vs. Louisiana Business College; Red Shield vs. Southern Bell.
January 14—Nurses vs. Red Shield; Business College vs. Southern Bell.
January 21—Red Shield vs. Business College; Southern Bell vs. Nurses.
January 28—Nurses vs. Business College; Red Shield vs. Southern Bell.
February 4—Nurses vs. Red Shield; Business College vs. Southern Bell.
February 11—Red Shield vs. Business College; Southern Bell vs. Nurses.
February 18 — Nurses vs. Business College; Red Shield vs. Southern Bell.
February 25—Nurses vs. Red Shield; Business College vs. Southern Bell.
March 3—Red Shield vs. Business College; Southern Bell vs. Nurses.

Junior League

January 5—L. T. I. vs. Red Shield; W. O. W. vs. Calvert's.
January 8—Key Club vs. L. T. I.; Red Shield vs. W. O. W.
January 12—W. O. W. vs. Key Club; Calvert's vs. Red Shield.
January 15—W. O. W. vs. L. T. I.; Calvert's vs. Key Club.
January 19—L. T. I. vs. Calvert's; Key Club vs. Red Shield.
January 22—L. T. I. vs. Red Shield; W. O. W. vs. Calvert's.
January 26—Key Club vs. L. T. I.; Red Shield vs. W. O. W.
January 29—W. O. W. vs. Key Club; Calvert's vs. Red Shield.
February 2—W. O. W. vs. L. T. I.; Calvert's vs. Key Club.
February 5—L. T. I. vs. Calvert's; Key Club vs. Red Shield.
February 9—L. T. I. vs. Red Shield; W. O. W. vs. Calvert's.
February 12—Key Club vs. L. T. I.; Red Shield vs. W. O. W.
February 16—W. O. W. vs. Key Club; Calvert's vs. Red Shield.
February 19—W. O. W. vs. L. T. I.; Calvert's vs. Key Club.
February 23—L. T. I. vs. Calvert's; Key Club vs. Red Shield.

Circuits already in operation are the City League for men, the Senior League and the Midget League.

Senior and Junior League games are played on Tuesday of each week and City League games are played each Friday night.

BROWNING ROSS TAKES WASHINGTON MILE RUN

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Browning Ross, 22-year-old navy veteran and Villanova sophomore, ran away from some highly advertised track stars tonight to win the featured mile in the Washington Evening Star games.

Usually operating as a two-miler, Ross dropped down to the mile tonight, jogged along in third place most of the way, and then put on a driving finish to win in 4 minutes, 13.7 seconds.

That's good time, considering that the contestants were running without spikes on an unbanked, slippery board track.

Jack Milne, of North Carolina, was two steps behind and favored Bill Hulse of the New York Athletic Club, who only a week ago set a new Sugar Bowl, 1,500-meter record, came in third.

A world record—of a sort—that has stood for 62 years was equalled by Joe Cianciabella of Manhattan. He scampered through the rarely run 80-yard dash in eight seconds flat. The last time that was done was way back in 1886, by Wendell Baker of Boston.

Richard Houden of Wisconsin was a half step behind Cianciabella, and Bill Mathis, a local boy home from the University of Illinois for the holidays, was third.

TULANE CAGERS DEFEAT SOUTHERNERS, 68 TO 52

JACKSON, Miss., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Tulane's rip-roaring Greenies outshot and outroughed a Mississippi Southern quintet tonight in a 68-52 decision at City Auditorium before an estimated 2,000 spectators.

In a game of frequent thrills and more frequent spills, the midwestern boys repatriated to the port of Orleans University clicked early for a 14-7 lead and added to the advantage throughout the first half. With three of their starting five retired to the sidelines via excessive fouls, the Greenies held their own with difficulty during the later stages and just about played even. Southerners had their halftime 42-25 lead.

BLUE GRASS FANS NAME WHIRLAWAY KING OF TURFDOM

Mr. Longtail, In Retirement, Succeeds To Throne Of Man O' War

By Kyle Vance

LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 3.—(AP)—The blue grass hoisted a mint julep to Whirlaway today and proclaimed him its new favorite thoroughbred son to succeed the deceased Man O'War.

Whirly won by 415 lengths (votes, if we must be strictly technical) in a newspaper-poll "derby" to select "the most famous horse in the blue grass."

The field that opposed him included such noted neighbors as War Admiral, Count Fleet, Alsab, Bull Lea and Armed.

The horse - conscious Lexington Herald-Leader called upon its paid subscribers to elect a new king of the living champions. Man O' War was undisputed holder of the title until his death in November.

Tabulations, announced today, showed that the sensational stretch-running Mr. Longtail, now retired to the Calumet Farm stud, was favored by 734 of 1,809 voters.

War Admiral, a son of Man O' War, placed with 319 votes, and Count Fleet nosed out Bull Lea in a photo finish, 272 votes to 217, for show honors.

Alsab was the choice of 126; Armed, 57; and Sir Gallahad III, 27, Bull Dog, Bimelich, Gallant Fox, Stagehand and others also ran.

Ballots came from nine states other than Kentucky, the paper said.

Whirlaway's victory was attributed by the newspaper to his popularity with the average race-goer.

"Ballots which could be identified as to their source showed that many persons in the thoroughbred industry supported Bull Lea and Count Fleet, as well as War Admiral, Alsab and Sir Gallahad III," it said, "but their votes could not offset the tide of 'popular favorite' ballots that came from sports enthusiasts who seldom get closer to a horse than across the fence or in the paddock at the race course."

Triple-crown champion Whirlaway won 32 of his 64 races, was second 32 times and finished out of the money only four times. He won $561,161 in three racing seasons to become the money-winning king at the time of his retirement.

EPPS CAGE MEET SET FOR JAN. 15-16

Independent And American Legion Teams Invited To Tourney

EPPS, La., Jan. 3.—(Special)—Play will begin in the third annual Invitational Legion-Independent Basketball Tournament here January 15 and continue for two days, it has been announced by L. J. Jackson, manager of the Epps team. The tournament, sponsored by Calvit-McDuff American Legion Post of Epps, begins at 5 o'clock in the afternoon of opening day.

Entries will be limited to first 16 teams which file with tournament officials, Jackson said. Teams desiring to enter the tourney are asked to write or wire Jackson at P. O. Box 230 here. Deadline has been set at midnight, January 12.

An aggressive Quitman five nosed out the Epps Legionnaires in competition last year to win first place laurels.

First and second place trophies will be awarded to winning quintets, the team manager stated.

College varsity cagers will not be eligible for play in the third annual event, it was stated.

BLIND LOU PALMER PAYS BRIEF VISIT TO MONROE

Blind Lou Palmer, former professional boxer who now spends his time talking for world peace and promoting recreation programs to battle child delinquency, arrived in Monroe yesterday evening for a short visit here and will move on to Shreveport today.

Lou, a veteran of 300 fights, has been blind for 18 years—since he was left blind in a sidewalk opening while admiring a new suit of clothes in a store window. Physicians were able to save his head, but he was never able to see again.

He is currently advocating a program that would seek to have the A. A. U. turn 50 per cent of its profits on athletic shows into wider recreational uses by helping playground programs throughout the country.

Born in 1905 of Jewish parents, Palmer makes his home at Louisville, Ky.

SOUTHWESTERN QUINTET BEATS SEMI-PROS, 47-37

LAFAYETTE, La., Jan. 3—(AP)—Southwestern's Bulldogs defeated the Cities Service semi-pro basketball team of Lake Charles, La., 47 to 39 in a loosely-played game here tonight which saw the Bulldogs come from behind to win.

In the first half the Bulldogs built up a neat 27-13 lead which was almost evaporate as the semi-pros crept up in the opening minutes of the second half.

During the final ten minutes there was a change in the trend of scoring as the Bulldogs again took the range.

Top scorers for the Bulldogs was Clyde Catha with 12 points. Bozeman, of the semi-pros had 12.

CITY LEAGUE

STANDINGS

Team	Won	Lost	Pct.
Exchange Club	3	1	1.000
Woodmen of World	2	1	1.000
Howard Brothers	2	1	.667
College Friend	1	1	.500
Hendricks's Sandwich	1	2	.333
Red Shield Club	0	2	.000
American Legion	0	3	.000

Friday's Games

Exchange vs. Hendricks.
Red Shield vs. College Friend.
American Legion vs. W. O. W.

RULE SUGGESTED TO GIVE LINEMEN RIGHTS OF BACKS

High School Federation To Study Proposed Changes At Biloxi

BILOXI, Miss., Jan. 3.—(AP)—A proposed rule which would permit the center, guard, or tackle on a football team to become a backfield man by moving to a position one yard behind the line, will be considered by the National Federation of State High School Athletic Associations at its convention in Biloxi Jan. 6-10.

At present if an illegal pass is caught by the offense, the ball becomes dead, but it is proposed to remove the limitation and allow the ball to continue in play after being caught so that if the receiver fumbles or fumble the ball will still be in play.

Also expected to receive attention is the regulation permitting the ball to go into play after encroachment and similar fouls. This may be extended to include fouls such as delay of games, provided the referee's whistle isn't blown early enough to kill the ball before it is snapped from center.

A proposal to bring about a joint football committee made up of National Collegiate associations and the National Federation is to be discussed. Several conferences have been held and the two groups have reached agreement concerning a common set of rule fundamentals.

H. V. Porter of Chicago, executive secretary of the association, says that 38 of the 44 member states are expected to be represented at the meeting. The National Football Committee of the association will meet here simultaneously.

The association will discuss an expanded baseball program which has worked out in cooperation with major and minor leagues. This will involve an expanded program for high schools which will run into the summer months.

This program also covers an agreement with professional leagues so that they will not disturb the high school boy until he graduates, Porter said. Tryouts for high school boys if held at all will be during the summer when school is not in session.

An expanded use of motion pictures also is planned to develop baseball ability and interest in the sports. A reciprocity program for athletic officials in basketball, football and baseball to enable them to officiate in other states while retaining their standing in their own states will also be considered.

INDEPENDENT QUINTETS PLAY HERE TOMORROW

Two independent basketball teams of Monroe, the Hot Rocks and Southern Bell quintets, after failing in an effort to organize an industrial league in the city, will play on an independent basis and complete as opponents in their first game here tomorrow night at 8:30 o'clock in the Ouachita Parish High School gymnasium.

Members of the Hot Rocks squad, described as "has-been players who want to take off some weight," were listed as Ralph Marionneaux, Sr., "Pinkie" Butler, Jack Hesketh, Cary Phillips, and Todd Spears.

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484-Barrel Daily Flow Of Shell Well Tops Previous McMurrey Record

Flowing 484 barrels of oil from a heavily-saturated Nacatoch sand, Shell Oil Company's Frost Lumber Industries B-2 last week provided the enigmatic Ora midsection with the field's second best producer.

Test was made through a 22/64-inch choke from an open hole bottomed at 2,157 feet, with 5 1/2-inch production casing set at 2,152 feet.

The well's potential output topped by six barrels the previous midsection record previously established by the 478-barrel a day output of Jim McCurrey's J. C. Williams No. 8, and is surpassed only by the 561-barrel daily potential of another Shell well—the Frost Lumber Industries A-24 in section 14-22-1W.

Location of the B-2 is in section 26-22-1W, immediately southeast of McMurrey's 80-acre tract in the northwest corner, and approximately a half-mile southeast of the Williams No. 8.

McMurrey meanwhile chalked up another success in his midsection tract—the J. C. Williams No. 6 rated at 259 barrels a day pumping.

In a year-end spurt of exploration activity, the number of wildcat ventures in Union parish last week climbed to eight—pin-pointing the area around Ora field with quests for new productive limits.

Latest to enter the development is Carter Oil Company, which spotted a location for a 3,500-foot test on the G. H. Vaughn lease in section 17-21-1W, about two miles southwest of Sam Sklar's latest successful southern extension—the Jack S. Dykes No. 2, gauged at 259 barrels a day pumping.

On the east side of the parish, the Wilson Ewing Company is on location at the J. P. Kennedy No. 1 in section 19-22-1W, while northwest of the discovery well, in section 22-22-1W, R. T. Sellars et al., are on location at the Alice Futch No. 1.

Two miles east of Spearsville, T. L. James is drilling below 2,000 feet at the E. C. Carroll No. 1 after setting 10 3/4-inch surface pipe at 115 feet. Northwest of Ora field, James has erected a derrick at the Mrs. Ida Wade No. 1 in section 7-22-1W.

Shell Oil is drilling below 3,900 feet at the wildcat Frost No. 1, section 15-22-1E, still with no indications of potential production. Contract depth is 9,500 feet in the Smackover.

Among other completions, Shell's Frost A-30, section 23-22-1W, with a pumping output of 198 barrels a day, and the Frost A-31, 14-22-1W, was gauged at 154 barrels a day.

Marine Oil Company's Monzingo-Rivers No. 13, section 23-22-1W, was gauged at pumping 194 barrels daily and C. H. Murphy Jr.'s Tucker No. 1, section 23-22-1W, was rated at pumping 91 barrels daily.

In the southwest extension, Sellars and Ewing are awaiting gauging of the Price No. 1 in section 4-21-1W, after setting 5 1/2-inch production casing at 2,163 feet, and H. C. Hunt is testing the P. L. Williams No. 7, section 3-21-1W.

PAY ZONE CORED IN LINCOLN TEST

Pan Am Nearing Expected Production Level At D'Arbonne Confirmation Well

Pan American Production Company is coring for the Bodcaw pay sand section in the Cotton Valley horizon at its Hosea Brewster No. 1, section 6-19-1W of Lincoln parish, a confirmation test of the successful wet gasser, the Elva Rugg No. 1, brought in about three months ago on the Union parish side of what has been designated the D'Arbonne field.

Several cores have been cut to 8,105 feet without any showings, but production is not expected before close to 8,300 feet. Construct depth is 10,000 feet.

Completed just two days before the beginning of 1948, Arkansas Fuel Oil Company's DeLoach B-8 became the fifth Smackover producer finaled during the year in the Claiborne parish Haynesville field.

Tested in the "A" sand between 10,-050-090 feet, the well flowed 247 barrels of 42.1 degree oil plus 2,150,000 cubic feet of gas.

The honor of being the first new location staked in 1948 in the Shreveport district went to a shallow test in the old Caddo field in Caddo parish where A. F. Gordon and J. B. Gander of Vivian have spotted the Marvin E. Guess No. 1 in section 12-20-16W—a proposed 1,500-foot operation.

Although none has yet run production strong, outcome is close for at least three wildcat ventures in the Shreveport area. Two are Travis Peak operations in Bienville, and one is a Bodcaw test in Claiborne parish. In Bienville the C. H. Murphy No. 1 Pipes, 19-17-5W, is drilling in sand below 7,980 feet, while the R. H. Crow, Jr. No. 1 Fred F. Sutton, 18-17-6W, is making hole in hard sand below 7,685 feet.

Drilling in the top part of the Cotton Valley at 10,012 feet and headed for the Bodcaw sand of this series is the Carter Oil Co., No. 1 Conway Gandy, 28-19-7W, near Athens in Claiborne parish. The test has been drilling some six months. Another test in the parish has also passed the 10,000 foot mark. This is the Union Producing Co., No. 3 Addie Durrett, 31-20-5W, which is drilling below 10,027 feet after coring from 9,999—10,017 feet. The test recovered 13 feet of silt stone and three and one-half feet of shale from the core.

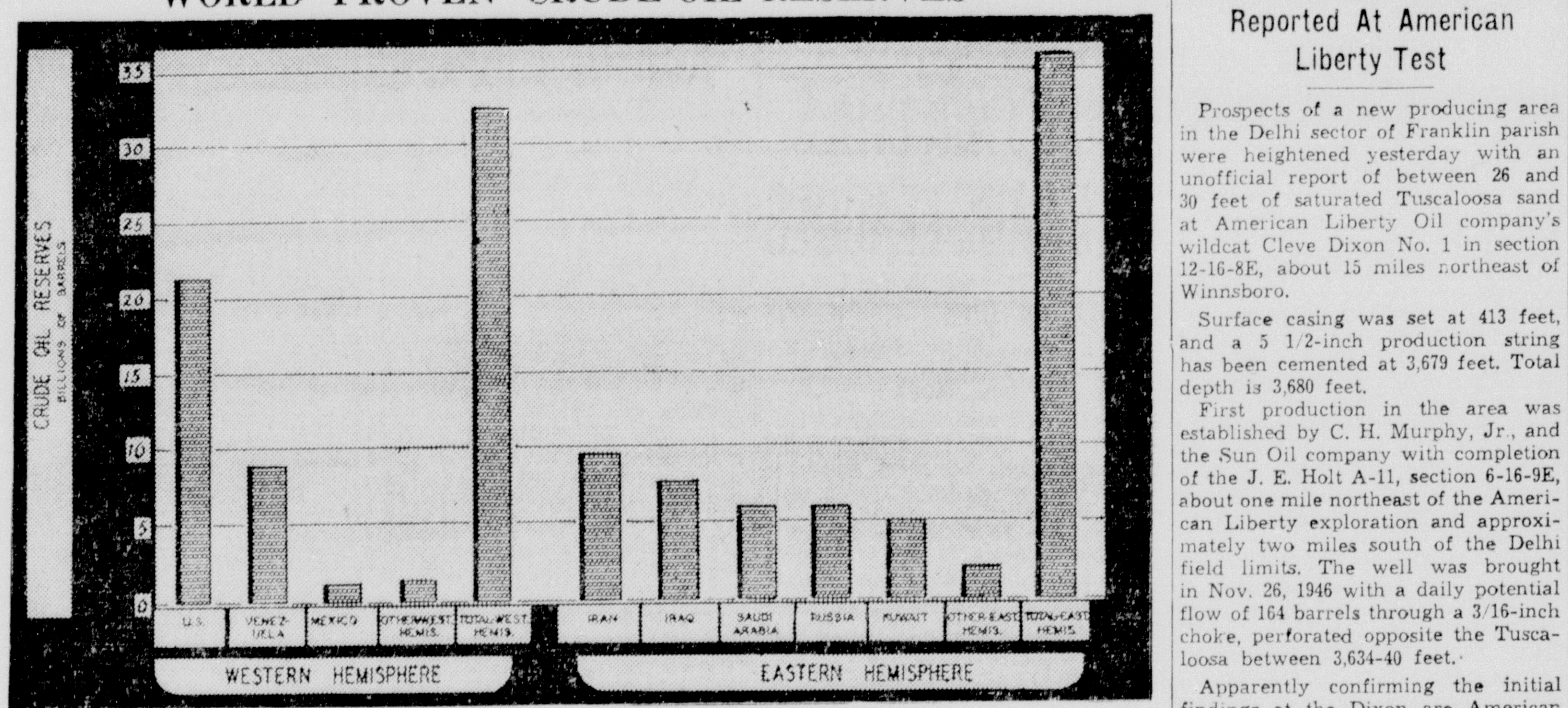
Elsewhere in Claiborne parish one new test has started in the Sugar Creek area, and Arkansas Fuel Oil Co., is still moving in materials for its new Smackover try in the Haynesville field, the No. 2 Sherman-Harp unit, 23-23-8W. Caruthers and Marshall spudded the No. 1 Bufkin-Wilson, 33-20-5W, a Travis Peak operation, and are now waiting on cement for 9 5/8ths-inch pipe set at 571 feet.

Both of Ohio's deep tests are below 7,000 feet, the No. 1 Sherman, 23-23-8W, drilling hard sand at 7,310 feet and the H-1 Bond, 21-23-8W, drilling shale and sand at 7,130 feet. Midstates Oil Corp. No. 1 deep Hearne et al, 22-23-8W, is drilling red shale and sand below 5,877 feet.

In Lincoln parish the Hunt Oil Co., Lewis Realty, B-9, section 26-20-4W, is producing from perforations at 8,-399-403 and 8,358-90 feet. Pipe was set at 8,510 feet.

The California Co. No. 1 J. L. Hood, 11-19-4W, is drilling in shale and lime at 5,250 feet; their No. 1 H. L. Nobles unit B-32, 13-9-4W, is drilling at 6,161 feet. W. C. Feazel et al No. 1 C. C. Barham, 21-20-3W, is making hole at 6,582 feet. All of these tests are located in the Hico-Knowles field.

WORLD PROVEN CRUDE-OIL RESERVES



World proven oil reserves continued to expand over the past year and now total nearly 70 million barrels. This figure is exclusive of the light hydro-carbon reserves which in the U. S. are estimated to total approximately 3 1/2 billion barrels.

The most significant increases in world reserves over the last year have been in the Eastern Hemisphere. The reserve figure for Iraq alone is now 7 1/2 billion barrels, a jump of 50 percent over the 5-billion total generally applied to that country over a period of several years.

In the Western Hemisphere the most important increases in crude oil reserves has been in Venezuela, now the second largest oil-producing country.

While no new major discoveries have been reported in that country in recent months, reports show important additions to reserves in both the western area and also in Eastern Venezuela where operations have expanded considerably over the past 10 years.

Urge Oil Policy Devoid Of Curbs

Independent Operators Call For Continuation Of Federal Incentives Without Imposition Of Controls

A national oil and gas policy based upon the continuation of government incentives to production and the absence of "stagnating" government regulation is specified by the Independent Petroleum Association of America as the surest guarantee of adequate domestic supplies "for all peacetime and emergency requirements."

The association, in a statement of policy released last week, branded as entirely fallacious predictions of an early exhaustion of the nation's petroleum reserves, and noted that "proved reserves of petroleum are at the highest point in our history despite steadily increasing consumption."

"Such forecasts (of an imminent depletion of petroleum reserves) lead to the erroneous conclusions that this country is running out of raw materials from which to make gasoline, fuel oil, kerosene and other products; that our domestic reserves should be locked up for future use, and that we should depend upon foreign oil.

"A national policy based on such conclusions would result in the stagnation of the domestic oil and gas industry, and render our country defenseless."

10-Point Program

The components of a sound national policy, the association stipulated, would be:

1. Continuance of well-established tax provisions which recognize the peculiar conditions and financial risks inherent in the producing branch of the industry.

2. Forebearance on the part of the government from any direct or indirect participation in the operation of the industry.

3. Restriction of imports to such amounts as are necessary only to supplement domestic production.

4. Encouragement of an experienced and competitive industry carried forward by private capital.

5. Adoption of sound conservation principles.

6. Maintenance of ample productive capacity from accessible, proved domestic reserves.

7. Vigorous exploration for new reserves.

8. Full utilization of secondary methods of petroleum recovery.

9. Expansion of research activities.

10. Limitation of the jurisdiction of federal agencies to the interstate transportation of gas and the sale of gas in interstate commerce.

The association observed that the bulk of all petroleum requirements for this nation and its allies in both World Wars came from within its own borders, and concluded that a "continuous and expanding supply of petroleum products to meet both normal and emergency needs can be furnished from within the United States at fair prices for many generations."

Inexhaustible Reserves

Beyond present known reserves of petroleum, the association's statement continued, are the almost inexhaustible reserves of raw materials such as natural gas, coal, shale and tar sands from which gasoline, kerosene, fuel oil and lubricants can be derived.

In addition, the association reported, plants now under construction for the commercial production of gasoline from natural gas at costs in direct competition with gasoline from crude oil will soon be in operation, substantially supplementing natural petroleum reserves.

Referring to the current unprecedented level of consumption, the association pointed out that normally such increased needs would be accomplished by a proportionate expansion in facilities to produce, transport and refine petroleum and its products.

Expansion Hampered

This expansion, however, the association said, has been hampered by both war and post-war circumstances which completely absorbed the pre-war reserve capacity of the industry.

The association warned that it is "impractical" to stockpile petroleum reserves or lock up reserves for future development.

The reserves, it declared, must be underground in original reservoirs proved and capable of being brought readily to the surface, channeled into pipelines and refineries and delivered to those who need it.

The classic lesson of World War II, the association reflected, is that although the Middle East, the Far East and certain Latin American countries developed the petroleum resources in large volume, this nation experienced little benefit as long as the Axis controlled the Mediterranean and the Japanese dominated the Pacific.

Because of the urgency of an adequate program of exploration and development, the association added, government policies should be designed and administered to avoid favoring development of foreign sources of petroleum to the "prejudice" of the domestic industry.

The association applauded conservation methods employed by the industry and individual states, and cited as especially meritorious the recognition accorded by the federal government to the Interstate Oil Compact and the passage and enforcement of the Connally "hot oil" law.

Sound Production Steps

"Production in accordance with sound engineering principles avoids waste and will provide the greatest ultimate yield of petroleum," the association agreed, but, it stated:

"Production to meet consumer requirements promotes conservation by preventing wasteful accumulation of above-ground stocks."

The association credited the industry with foresight of being able, at the beginning of the war, to produce, refine and transport far in excess of national needs, a situation it said, which enabled it "virtually alone among great industries" to meet all immediate post-war requirements.

Among primary factors contributing to the industry's ability to carry forward its intensive and long Orange search for new oil and gas reserves, the association asserted, are the federal tax provisions, relating to depletion and the deductibility of intangible drilling costs.

Tax Advantages

"These provisions," the association stated, "take cognizance of the fact that the major, normal operations of the oil and gas producing industry are the search for and the development of new fields to replace ones which are being depleted."

The association described the nation's high degree of development in exploration, production, refining and marketing of oil and gas as the fruit of "private capital, individual initiative and free competitive industry."

These, the association said, have resulted in constant, improved quality at fair prices and will lead to a "healthy, secure, strong industry."

In an obvious referrence to the current tidelands controversy, the association urged the government to encourage development by private capital of petroleum deposits underlying public lands, without any mineral reservations.

Taking recognition of current criticisms of the Federal Power Commission, it called upon federal agencies not to attempt "to reach forward and regulate the local sale, distribution, or use of natural gas, or reach forward and control production processing, gathering, compressing or the price of gas prior to its sale for resale from the main transportation line of an interstate carrier."

Government control, whether brought about through monopoly, expropriation, or nationalization, has obstructed petroleum development in other countries, and would have a similar detrimental effect in this nation if allowed to occur in any form, the association concluded.

Glenn H. McCarthy, president of the McCarthy Oil and Gas corporation of Houston, Tex., has submitted to President Juan Peron of Argentina a $290,-000,000 plan to develop oil and gas resources in that country.

McCarthy quoted Peron as saying last November at the conclusion of an 18-day conference that the plan would be accepted.

McCarthy did not say how he will be compensated, but he disclosed that if the program is completed he will not own any producing oil properties in Argentina.

He said he had submitted to Peron plans for development of all phases of Argentina's oil program from wildcatting to research in oil chemistry and including pipeline and refinery construction.

The McCarthy program is the second within two weeks to involve development of Argentine petroleum resources. Earlier, Peron announced a $12,500,000 contract had been awarded to the Drilling and Exploration company of Dallas for 40 test wells.

CLOTHING NEEDED AT COTTON VALLEY

Mayor David of Minden informed Adjutant Charles Stratford, commanding officer of the local Salvation Army, that the destitute people of Cotton Valley were greatly in need of clothing and would appreciate anything the Salvation Army could do to gather together clothing for this purpose.

A special appeal is made to the people of Monroe to contribute clothing and they are requested to bring articles to the Salvation Army at 110 South Grand street or if they are unable to deliver them call the Salvation Army at 4320 and they will collect them.

NEW ORLEANS STATES HAS 68TH BIRTHDAY

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The New Orleans States observed its 68th birthday today.

The metropolitan daily was first published on a flatbed press in the plant of a commercial printer.

It was founded by Major H. J. Hearsey of West Feliciana parish, as the Daily States, and represented an original investment of $2,250.

By the end of its first year the circulation had grown to 6,500.

In its advancing years the States enlarged its quarters to metropolitan size. After the death of Colonel Robert Ewing in 1931, the States was purchased by the Times-Picayune.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Victor Ditta, 22, of Monroe, and Nettie Viola, 21, of West Monroe.

Saturated Tuscaloosa Sand Reported At American Liberty Test

Prospects of a new producing area in the Delhi sector of Franklin parish were heightened yesterday with an unofficial report of between 26 and 30 feet of saturated Tuscaloosa sand at American Liberty Oil company's wildcat Cleve Dixon No. 1 in section 12-16-8E, about 15 miles northeast of Winnsboro.

Surface casing was set at 413 feet, and a 5 1/2-inch production string has been cemented at 3,679 feet. Total depth is 3,680 feet.

First production in the area was established by C. H. Murphy, Jr., and the Sun Oil company with completion of the J. E. Holt A-11, section 6-16-9E, about one mile northeast of the American Liberty exploration and approximately two miles south of the Delhi field limits. The well was brought in Nov. 26, 1946 with a daily potential flow of 164 barrels through a 3/16-inch choke, perforated opposite the Tuscaloosa between 3,634-40 feet.

Apparently confirming the initial findings at the Dixon are American Liberty's applications for two other locations near-by. One is the Girod Brewer Unit No. 1, a diagonal northeast offset to the Dixon; the second is the Holt No. 7, section 11-16-8E, a half mile to the southwest.

Five miles southeast of American Liberty's test, Mitchell and Anderson have staked a third site in the two-well Lamar field in section 27-16-9E. Proposed depth of the project, the Baker No. 3, is 5,000 feet in the Tuscaloosa. The area currently has one producing gas well and one oil well.

Elsewhere in the district, operations proceeded at a snail's pace with no completions, one abandonment, and a marked paucity of rigs and tests.

H. L. Hunt's Catahoula wildcat, the Louisiana Delta Lumber No. 1, a possible dual completion, remained shut down pending an official gauge.

About a quarter of a mile to the west in the southern tip of LaSalle parish, Hunt is rigging up the Louisiana Delta Lumber No. 2, a 5,000-foot Tuscaloosa exploration.

In the LaSalle Little Creek field, Justiss Mears Oil company abandoned its Davis No. 1 at 1,697 feet after a series of cores indicated an absence of any saturation. Location was on the eastern flank of the field in section 24-9-1E.

In the Richland parish Big Creek field, Stanolind Oil and Gas has made location for the Delta Lumber company No. 18, section 12-16-7E, an offset to the Delta Lumber No. 16, completed at a sparse output of 19 barrels pumping.

Southwest of the Holly Ridge field, Roy Fisher is drilling below 1,008 feet at his wildcat Holloway No. 1, section 10-10-9E of Tensas parish. Location is approximately three miles southwest of Southern Production company recent failure, the Tensas Land No. 1, abandoned at 4,379 feet.

LAKE ST. JOHN HEARING MONDAY

Conservation Department To Receive Protest Against Unitization

Unit operations in the Lake St. John field of Concordia and Tensas parish will be subjected to a thorough review tomorrow when the state department of conservation receives protests from two oil companies against acreage rules currently in effect.

At stake is a previous conservation department order establishing unitized production in the Lake St. John field, the legality of which has been challenged by the Renwar and Midstates Oil Companies.

Both companies have minor interests in the northern sector of the field—Midstates currently owning six producing wells and Renwar two.

Serious objections to revision of the unitization procedure will be entered by the California Company, largest operator in the field and mainspring in the construction of a recycling plant there.

Mindful of domestic shortages, the United States Department of Commerce yesterday restricted exports of oil products to "urgent need" and reduced the quota available for shipment the first quarter of 1948.

This quota was set at 12,000,000 barrels, 200,000 below the level for the last three months of 1947. It also compares with 17,000,000 barrels shipped the first three months last year.

The department said the new quota is "substantially below" estimated foreign demand, but is in line with a policy of curtailing exports of major petroleum products to the maximum extent until current domestic shortages are alleviated.

The nation's crude oil production average 5,310,820 barrels daily during the week ended December 27, an increase of 10,865 barrels over the previous week and only 7,595 barrels short of the all-time high of 5,318,415 barrels recorded the week ended October 25, the Oil and Gas Journal reported.

Kansas noted the largest gain with an increase of 4,900 barrels to 259,550. Oklahoma reported the greatest decline, down 1,750 barrels to 409,300.

Louisiana production was 465,075, up 25 barrels. Mississippi's production was 112,100 barrels, compared with 111,710 the previous week.

F. V. Carter, chief engineer of the state department of conservation for the past five years has resigned to enter private business.

J. M. Cunningham, assistant to Commissioner of Conservation Joseph L. McHugh said Carter's resignation is effective Jan. 5.

Cunningham said Carter, formerly of Alexandria, will enter business with Sam P. Bennet as petroleum consultant. Bennett was formerly petroleum engineer with the department.

Acting chief engineer, Cunningham said, will be Thomas M. Winnfield of Houma, who was appointed petroleum engineer when Bennett resigned in November.

The state mineral board has invited bids on mineral rights to approximately 116,000 acres of tidal lands off the Louisiana coast.

The bids, to be opened Feb. 17, were asked on tracts in the Bay Marchand, Vermillion, East and West Cameron areas.

The state department of conservation in its weekly oil report yesterday listed completion of 10 wells with combined initial daily production of 1980.04 barrels, abandonment of five tests, and issuance of 26 permits for new wells.

New Orlean's received added recognition of its vast developing oil interests last week with the decision of the Pan American Petroleum Corporation to establish headquarters there.

H. S. Head, vice president and general sales manager will become vice president in charge of distribution and all related activities, Bruce K. Brown, president, announced. F. R. Lutenbacher, assistant general sales manager, will succeed Read as general sales manager.

MARKETS

DAILY COTTON TABLE

Port movement:	Midlg.	Rects.	Expts.	Sales	Stocks
New Orleans	35.60	1,502	....	662	97,719
Galveston	35.70	4,780	7,130	......	638,569
Houston	35.65	7,639	....	6,924	402,582
Savannah	35.88	....	....	......	20
Charleston	36.15	....	....	......	8,941
New York	Closed	....	....	......	243
Boston	.....	....	....	......	49
Minor ports	.....	....	....	......	28,121
Total Saturday		13,921	7,130	7,586	1,176,244
Total for week		13,921	7,130	......	....
Total for season		2,640,399	730,728	......	....
Interior movement:	Midlg.	Rects.	Shpts.	Sales	Stocks
Memphis	35.65	10,573	9,377	6,063	528,550
Augusta	36.41	633	2,456	400	62,034
Little Rock	35.60	265	465	136	13,564
Dallas	35.35	....	....	4,983	....
Montgomery	35.65	....	....	248	....
Total Saturday		11,471	12,298	11,830	604,148

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

CHICAGO: Wheat: Weak; heavier cash grain marketings. Corn: Unsettled by wheat losses. Oats: Lower with other grains. Hogs: Nominally steady. Cattle: Nominally steady.

COTTON

New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS, Jan 3.—(AP)—Fluctuations were over a narrow range in the cotton market here today. Closing prices were steady, 15 cents a bale lower to 10 cents higher.

Trading was restricted because of the closing of the New York cotton exchange and other markets in the eastern section of the United States because of inclement weather. Prices were lower from the start as the result of week-end long liquidation and a small amount of hedge selling.

Some of the liquidation resulted from Washington reports that the Marshall plan may be held up for some time, and that there would be a terrific fight in both houses before some sort of a bill is passed.

Spot cotton closed unchanged with middling 15/16ths-inch quoted at 35 60 cents a pound. Local spot sales amounted to 662 bales.

	Open	High	Low	Close	
Mch.	35.82	35.86	35.76	35.85-86	off 3
May	35.62	35.71	35.62	35.71	Unch.
July	34.45	34 52	34.45	34.52	off 2
Oct.	31.64	31.68	31.64	31.70b	up 7
Dec.	31.17	31.17	31.17	31.20b	Unch.

b—Bid.

SPOT COTTON

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Spot cotton closed steady, unchanged. Sales 662. Low middling 31.60; middling 35.60; good middling 36.10. Receipts 1,502. Stock 97,719.

CHICAGO GRAIN

CHICAGO, Jan. 3. — (AP) — Wheat showed further weakness at the opening on the board of trade today. Small-scale liquidation again met a lack of support. Feed grains, however, mostly held steady, particularly corn.

Wheat started 1/4 to 2 cents lower, May $2.92 1/4 to $2.91 1/2, corn was 1/8 lower to 3/8 higher, May $2.54, and oats were unchanged to 3/8 lower, May $1.18 to $1.18 1/4.

Wheat, March 2.97 1/2; May 2.89 1/4-2.88 3/4; July 2.59; Sept. 2.53 3/4-2.53; Dec. 2.49 1/2.

Corn: May 2.51 3/4-1/2; July 2.40 1/2; Sept. 2.25 1/2-1/4; Dec. 1.87 3/4-1/2.

Oats: March 1.27 1/2; May 1.17 3/4-7/8; July 1.00 3/4; Sept. 92 1/2; Dec. 88.

Soybeans: March 4.09; May 4.05; July 4.02.

Lard: Jan. 26.55; March 26.42; May 26.50; July 26.65; Sept. 26.80.

CLOSING GRAIN

CHICAGO, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Wheat dropped sharply in active dealings on the board of trade today following trade reports from Kansas City that farmers were selling large quantities of the cash grain now that the new year has started. Corn and oats, steady early, joined the wheat decline.

The new record in soybeans was $4.09.

Wheat closed 3 3/4 to 5 cents lower, May $2.89 1/4-2.88 3/4, corn was 2 to 4 cents lower, May $2.51 3/4-1/2, oats were 3/8-3/4 lower, May $1.17 3/4-7/8, and soybeans were 3 to 4 cents higher, March $4.09.

BRUMFIELD

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Anna Marie Brumfield; his father, E. T. Brumfield of Magnolia, Miss., and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. W. M. Couey of New Orleans, Mrs. Irma Donald of San Diego, Calif., Mrs. Alba Walker, Elisha Brumfield, Laren Brumfield and Nelson Brumfield, all of Magnolia.

Funeral plans were incomplete late last night, but the Rev. F. L. Hearne will officiate. Interment will follow in Hasley Cemetery under the direction of the Mulhearn Funeral Home.

RIVER STAGES

Stations	Flood Stage	Present Stage	24-Hour Change
MISSISSIPPI			
St. Louis	30	5.3	0.1 Rise
Memphis	34	2.5	0.1 Fall
Helena	44	*6.5	0.2 Rise
Arkansas City	42	6.3	0.5 Rise
Vicksburg	43	2.8	0.3 Fall
Natchez	48	*8.9	0.8 Fall
Baton Rouge	35	7.1	0.6 Fall
OUACHITA			
Camden	26	22.7	5.8 Rise
Monroe	40	*19.8	0.0
BLACK			
Jonesville	50	†29.4	0.3 Fall
OHIO			
Pittsburgh	25	17.7	...
Cincinnati	52	19.9	1.0 Rise
Cairo	40	21.1	4.7 Rise
TENNESSEE			
Chattanooga	30	10.2	0.9 Rise
CUMBERLAND			
Nashville	40	14.0	4.0 Fall
ARKANSAS			
Little Rock	23	10.1	1.7 Rise
RED			
Shreveport	39	14.0	1.2 Rise
Alexandria	32	*12.9	0.1 Rise

*Stage yesterday morning.
†Day before yesterday.

STORM

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that Mrs. Zula Wright of Haynesville was the only patient remaining there. Her injuries were not serious, it was said.

Jack Maynor, Sr., at North Louisiana Sanitarium in Shreveport is "improving" satisfactorily, an attendant said.

Mrs. Bernice Simmons was getting along "very well," it was said at Highland Sanitarium here. She received abrasions, and it was said she may be released in a few days.

Fourteen Cotton Valley patients remained in the Minden Sanitarium today. They are:

Clarence Rogers, Lona Rita Vowell, Mrs. Ben Vowell, Donald Wayne Vowell, Vince Vowell, Mrs. Delmar Pilcher, Henry Lee, Mrs. Marvin L. Walker, Mrs. A. C. Leggett, Eddie Ruth Leggett, W. D. Perkins, C. B. Thompson of Minden and Mrs. D. R. Longstreath. C. B. Thompson of Minden, injured at Haynesville, was also at the Minden Sanitarium.

R. B. Garrison, Webster parish assessor, said he has not inspected Cotton Valley to determine losses. He estimated that loss on buildings alone may be in the neighborhood of $600,-000 at Cotton Valley.

At Cotton Valley reconstruction and rehabilitation work continued. A sound car cruised through the streets to announce homeless people would be assigned quarters upon registering at the Garrett Clinic.

ALLOCATION

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sponsibility for voluntary curbs on speculative trading on the commodity exchanges. He also was directed to carry out the food and feed conservation program authorized by the law, in collaboration with the cabinet food committee.

The fuels assigned to Secretary Krug, said the president, include coal, coke, petroleum and petroleum products, and natural and manufactured gas.

Secretary Harriman's board field of action apparently would include steel, pig iron, nitrogen for fertilizer, farm machinery, and various types of industrial equipment needed at home or abroad.

Decisions on which specific items need regulation, and on the calling of industry meetings to initiate agreements, were left up to the secretaries.

The commerce department has scheduled a meeting with steel industry spokesmen next Thursday, but one commerce official said other meetings might not be set for another two or three weeks.

Mr. Truman delegated to Harriman continued authority to manage the mandatory export controls, and to O D. T. Director Johnson the power to regulate rail transportation facilities. Both these controls were extended by the new law to February 28, 1949.

FIERCE BATTLE

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Sea of Galilee, officials said. Fighting began again today in Safad.

Hagana, the Jewish defense force, announced that four Arabs were shot to death in a midnight reprisal raid on an Arab stronghold in the bloody no-man's land between the coastal cities of Tel Aviv and Jaffa.

The Jewish raid was made, Hagana said, after Arabs opened fire on a house in the area from a strongpoint across the street, wounding three Jews.

An elderly Jewish woman was found shot to death in the Arab bazaar area of Haifa. There were other casualties elsewhere in the Holy Land.

Lt. Gen. G. H. A. MacMillan, the British commander, ordered the nightly road curfew for all motor vehicles extended over a wide area of central Palestine "in view of continued attacks on trains in Arab areas and attacks in general by Arab parties after dark."

KNOTTY

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proposed income tax reduction. Speaker Martin (Mass) has predicted the House will pass a tax cutting bill this month. Senate leaders said they will wait to see how much Congress is likely to vote for foreign aid, how much it can reduce domestic government expenditures, and how much of a surplus is in prospect next July 1, before they act on taxes.

The prospective cost of aid abroad is expected to boost the president's budget toward the $40,000,000,000 mark, a level likely to prompt immediate Republican objections. But the G. O. P. may find itself unable to make deep slashes in the face of European aid requests and demands for strengthening of American armed forces.

In this latter connection, Mr. Truman is represented as planning to recommend again that congress order universal military training, an issue which many lawmakers of both parties dislike facing in an election year.

Unless the president changes his previous tactics, he will ask congress for national health legislation, a housing program, extension of social security coverage, tightening of the laws governing civil rights, admission of displaced European persons, an increase in the minimum wage level and enactment of a long range farm program to supplant the price support legislation which dies this year.

He is expected to request extension of the reciprocal trade agreements act which expires this year, continuation and strengthening of rent controls, approval of the St. Lawrence Seaway agrement and authorization of a State department foreign information program.

The president devoted most of today to drafting his state of the union message.

Without waiting for Mr. Truman, the Senate Republican Policy committee will go into action Monday. Chairman Taft (R-Ohio) said it is likely to outline a series of issues on which it believes Congress should act, without establishing any priority beyond clearing the way for consideration of the European recovery proposal as soon as it has made its way through the Foreign Relations committee.

Among major issues Taft said must be faced are additional anti-inflation "props," such as possible tightening of bank credit, commodity exchange controls and extension of rent ceilings.

He said the Republicans will consider the trade agreements program, the St. Lawrence proposal, the foreign information service legislation, housing aids and possibly federal aid to education.

FRENCH

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would exempt further groups of artisans. He also asked for a vote of confidence on three groups of amendments to the third article which would exempt nearly 1,000,000 small farmers. He was expected to request confidence again on amendments to free all persons owning war-damaged property.

Altogether 40 amendments had been proposed for the eight articles.

The original government bill was designed to "sponge up" 150,000,000,000 francs for reconstruction, rehabilitation and reequipment of industry and agriculture, but through cuts and amendments the assembly had reduced the estimated amount of revenue to less than 100,000,000,000 francs.

Most of these amendments freed small farmers, artisans and owners of war-damaged property.

Premier Schuman thereupon took the drastic action yesterday of withdrawing the entire measure, and sending in a new "compromise" bill to raise 125,000,000,000 francs.

Like the original bill, it frees any taxpayer from its rigors if he buys a special issue of bonds equal to the sum he would have to pay in the new taxes. In this respect it has been called a "forced loan," although it only applies to a part of the population.

Since the law would apply to all annual incomes above 750,000 francs (about $6,200), the mass of Frenchmen would escape the extraordinary reconstruction tax. The minimum annual wage by law in France is about 126,000 francs and the average worker's salary ranges between 200,000 and 250,000 francs.

By attaching the question of confidence to the tax bill Schuman demonstrated the importance he places on it in his economic policy of curbing inflation by drawing off surplus spending power and excess currency circulation.

The Bank of France statement today announced bank note circulation in the country had crossed the 900,000,-000,000 franc mark for the first time. At the present rate of increase it will reach the trillion mark before summer.

EX-KING MIHAI

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legation that the number of visas asked for Mihai's party had been reduced from 35 to 21. The remainder of the party, it was believed, would await the arrival of the Swiss entry papers before leaving Romania.

Some of his followers may depart on the Royal Yacht, on which the Duke of Windsor once cruised. Former King Carol bought it in 1938, and it was being hastily refitted and manned with a crew at Constanta.

The Swiss government was reported yesterday as concerned whether all the 35 persons in the proposed entourage would have funds available from Romania for their support.

Mihai was reported to have told members of the proposed party that he could not shoulder the responsibility of supporting all of them while abroad.

The financial arrangements made between the government and Mihai were understood to include a payment of about $3,000,000 to Mihai, but not all at once. Some of the funds, it was reported, will be realized from the sale of the royal estate at Sinaia with its art collection, and some of the other forest estates and castles.

The government has stressed since Mihai's abdication on Tuesday that he was free to live in Romania or elsewhere, whether he marries Princess Anne of the Danish royal house or not.

SEEKS SUPPORT OF 2 FACTIONS

Dr. W. H. Miller Calls For Votes Of Long And Kennon Backers

BATON ROUGE, La., Jan. 3.—(Special)—Dr. W. H. Miller of this city, independent candidate for the post of state superintendent of public education, today issued an appeal asking support from Earl K. Long and Bob Kennon backers. He pointed out that neither of these two candidates for the governor's office has endorsed a candidate for the post.

Miller also asked the "wholehearted support" of all interested in keeping the office free from "political domination."

Miller was professor of education at Louisiana State University for 14 years and was assistant state superintendent of education for one year. He resigned the latter post following a disagreement over policy with State Supt. John E. Coxe, who is a candidate for re-election on the Jimmy Morrison ticket.

Miller further congratulated Long and Kennon on their refusal to endorse a machine-supported candidate, a position, he declared, which shows "their sincere interest in education and in the school children of Louisiana."

Miller's complete statement follows:

"I am an independent candidate for the office of state superintendent of public education. Two of the candidates who are aspiring to the office of governor have placed my opponents on their tickets. As a result of such selection by those candidates for governor, although I would like the support of all voters, I am appealing particularly to supporters of Earl K. Long and Bob Kennon to vote for me for state superintendent of public education.

"Apparently both Mr. Long and Mr. Kennon feel that the office of state superintendent of public education should be apart from political entanglement. They are leaving to the citizens of Louisiana the choice that is to be made, and I fully subscribe to the belief that your state superintendent of public education should be free to direct the affairs of his office without having his policies dictated and controlled by other branches of the government. Accordingly, I solicit the wholehearted support of all who are interested in keeping the high office of the state superintendent of public education apart and separate from political domination.

"I congratulate both Mr. Long and Mr. Kennon on the stand they have taken, thereby showing their sincere interest in education and in the school children of Louisiana."

JUDGES OF COTTON MAID TO BE PICKED

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Names of the judges who will pick the 1948 Maid of Cotton here Tuesday night were announced today by the National Cotton Council, one of the sponsors of the annual event.

Miss Claire McCardell, New York designer, is chairman and the only woman on the board of judges, which includes:

Hugh M. Comer of Sylacauga, Ala., a past president of the American Cotton Manufacturers Association; Walter Hammond of Tye, Texas, president of the Texas Farm Bureau Association; Arthur H. Bower, executive vice-president of the Memphis Cotton Exchange; Joe H. Davis, Cotton Carnival head; Ed Lipscomb, Cotton Council public relations director, and Edward J. Meeman, editor of the Memphis Press-Scimitar.

There were 23 finalists chosen, but Harriet Rosewell Ancrum of Spartanburg, S. C., withdrew. The contestants are from nine southern states.

AMERICANS USING 73,000,000 RADIOS

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Radio broadcast receiving sets in the United States now total approximately 73,000,000—one for every 1.9 persons in the country.

The Federal Communications Commission noted the estimate, from industry sources, in a year-end report released today.

The 1947 output of new sets is estimated at 12,000,000, of which 2,600,000 are F. M. receivers, 300,000 television receivers, the remainder standard radio sets.

As the New Year opened, commission records showed 1,968 standard commercial radio stations licensed or authorized and 637 applications for new standard stations on file; 370 F. M. facilities on the air, another 597 authorized and under construction, and 111 other F. M. applications on file; and 72 television stations licensed or authorized, and applications for 66 additional stations pending.

BAFFLING ROADSIDE KILLING IS PROBED

MOBILE, Ala., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Authorities from Milton, Fla., enlisted the aid of Assistant Alabama Toxicologist Nelson E. Grubbs tonight in solving a baffling roadside killing which they said was somewhat similar to two recent Mississippi Gulf Coast slayings.

Grubbs said the officers had asked him to check on two .32 caliber bullets found in the body of Ova Budd Roe, 22-year old hitchhiker of Middletown, O. His body was found beside a lonely stretch of a highway 16 miles east of Pensacola last Monday.

"They are interested in finding out if the bullets used to kill Roe are similar to ones used in the Mississippi killings," Grubbs said.

The two Mississippi victims were J. L. Ward, 60, of Agricola, Miss., who was found dead in his truck on a side road three miles north of Pascagoula, and Mark Neal, Jr., 19, filling station attendant, who was slain during the robbery of an Ocean Springs, Miss., filling station.

JET BOMBER TESTED—The new swept-wing Boeing XB-47 stratojet bomber takes off at Seattle on its maiden flight. Pilot Robert Robbins flew plane for 51 minutes.

HARDY RENAMED ON FARM CREDIT BOARD

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 3.—(AP)—J. Allison Hardy, of Columbus, Miss., has been reappointed district director of the farm credit board of New Orleans, to serve a three-year term.

The appointment was announced today by J. M. Magruder, general agent of the Farm Credit Administration of New Orleans.

Hardy, as a member of the seven man board, will serve as a director of the federal land bank, the federal intermediate credit bank, the Production Credit Corporation and the New Orleans Bank of Cooperatives.

These organizations serve the credit needs of farmers in Louisiana, Alabama and Mississippi.

Hardy is president and manager of the Prairie Cotton Oil and Gin company and president of Cooperative Dairies, Inc. He is a director of the Lowndes County Farm Bureau, a member of the Mississippi production and marketing committee and a director of the Lowndes County Cooperative.

GLASS CUTTERS' WALKOUT AT END

SHREVEPORT, La., Jan. 3.—(AP)—A labor grievance of "local character" has been settled amicably at the Libby-Owens-Ford glass plant here and employes will report for work Monday, company and union officials said tonight.

This morning 200 members of the Glass Cutters' League (A. F. L.) walked out, according to company and employe sources. John H. Goodwillie, manager of the plant, stated, however, that no hours of work were lost.

The 700 members of the Federation of Glass, Ceramic, Silica and Sand Workers (C. I. O.) remained on the job.

Union and company officials declined comment, but it was believed that the disagreement centered around a newly installed glass-cutting machine which was put into use recently as part of a $3,000,000 expansion program.

William S. Schick, head of the A. F. L. local, said tonight that his union members would be at work Monday, and a company spokesman stated there was no question that work would be resumed as scheduled.

An agreement was reached by them at a meeting this afternoon. B. B. Romine, president of Shreveport Local Number 5 of the C. I. O. union, was notified of the settlement. Members of both unions will continue to operate the new machine, it was said.

ANTARCTIC ISLANDS MAY BECOME BASES

LONDON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Authoritative British sources said today a chain of Antarctic islands occupied by Australian and South African expeditions may be developed into weather and civil aviation bases.

Official spokesmen of several government departments refused to discuss reports in the South African press that the occupations were part of a new commonwealth defense plan as the result of the empire tour of Marshal Lord Montgomery, chief of the imperial staff.

News dispatches from South Africa and Australia said a string of four islands, ranging in a semi-circle on the opposite side of the pole from South America, had been occupied or would be occupied.

A party from the South African frigate Transvaal, which left Capetown on a secret mission Dec. 21, planted the union flag on Prince Edward Island, about 1,500 miles from Capetown. The Johannesburg Star said the South African flag also had been hoisted on the nearby island of Marion.

A research expedition of the Australian navy reached Heard Island, 3,500 miles from Australia, on Dec. 11 and completed occupation of the rocky and windswept island five days later with the landing of supplies.

Dispatches from Sydney said government spokesmen emphasized this was part of Australia's five-year plan for Antarctic exploration, and that a second naval scientific expedition will be sent to Macquarie Island, nearly 1,000 miles southeast of Tasmania.

BIG SHIPMENT OF TNT IS RECOVERED

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Police Captain Patrick W. Flannagan said 74 cases containing 7,400 pounds of tri-nitro-Tolune (TNT) were recovered today by Police on Pier F, where they were being loaded on the S. S. Executor consigned to points in Palestine.

Flannagan said there were enough explosives in the lot to "blow Jersey City and five Jersey Cities to bits."

The cases were consigned to Haboreg, Ltd., Tel Aviv, Palestine, and to the Palestine Glass Works and Phoenicia Ltd., both at Haifa, Palestine, Flannagan said.

He added that the 74 cases, each of which contained 100 one-pound packages of TNT, were loaded into skows and dumped into Gravesend bay. Pier F has been closed and the three ships tied up in the same slip with the Executor were ordered to remain tied up until they have been examined.

ACCUSED SLAYER IS FREED ON BOND

MOBILE, Ala., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Barney Reed, 47, Hattiesburg, Miss., telephone worker, was released under $5,000 bond today pending a preliminary hearing next Tuesday on a first degree murder charge.

Circuit Judge Cecil F. Bates fixed bond for Reed following a three-hour long habeas corpus hearing. He had been held in Mobile county jail.

Reed is charged with the roadside slaying of Robert L. Davis, 21, night cub worker, on highway 90 west of here Dec. 20.

Under questoning by Defense Attorney Earl Wingo of Hattiesburg, Reed testified he fired at Davis in self-defense following a squabble over custody of the four-year-old daughter of Mrs. Davis and her former husband, Reed's son. He said he did not know Davis had been killed untl he returned to Hattiesburg.

WINSTON CHURCHILL GOES TO HOSPITAL

MAARAKECH, French Morocco, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Winston Churchill went to Maarakech Civil Hospital today to have an X-ray photograph taken.

His physician, Lord Moran, afterward issued this bulletin:

"Mr. Churchill has had a cold which degenerated into bronchitis. He is not seriously ill and is better today. Mr. Churchill has no more temperature and his condition is satisfactory."

The wartime British prime minister, 73, came here to write his memoirs and took cold on a trip into the mountains to paint. Mrs. Churchill and his physician arrived last night from England.

BROWNIES BUY STEVENS FROM TOLEDO MUDHENS

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 3.—(AP)—The St. Louis Browns today announced the purchase of Charles A. (Chuck) Stevens, 29-year-old first baseman, from their Toledo, Ohio, farm club and the sale of first sacker Jerry Witte to the Ohio club.

Stevens, who fielded .995 in 1946, worked out with the Browns during spring training last year but went to Toledo when Jerry Witte was named as starting first baseman because of his reputation as a slugger with the American Association.

Stevens batted .279 with Toledo in 1947.

MARSHALL WILL RETURN TO POST

Will Open Drive For Adoption Of European Recovery Program

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Secretary of State Marshall will return to his post Monday to open an administration drive for adoption of the $17,000,000,000 European recovery proposal bearing his name.

As a first move, Charles E. Bohlen, State department counselor and Russian expert, scheduled an address for Monday at Madison, Wisc., which is expected to be a reply to some of the criticism voiced since President Truman submitted the program.

Marshall himself is due to take active field command of the campaign with his first testimony two days later before the Senate Foreign Relations committee. He has been taking a brief vacation.

Administration leaders are looking to Marshall and to three aides, who will appear with him at the start, to give a new push to the proposal that the United States underwrite the recovery of 16 non-Communist Western European nations over the next four years.

In the two weeks since Mr. Truman submitted the proposal in the closing hours of the special congressional session, its defense, with Marshall absent from the capital, has been left almost entirely to its congressional champions.

The policy of administration silence over the holidays otherwise has gone unexplained but some of Mr. Truman's top advisers have expressed the view that permitting critics to have the first inning might be sound tactics. Advance indications are that particular attention now will be devoted to criticism of the cost voiced by Senator Taft (R-Ohio) and other Republican spokesmen.

Rep. Hoffman (R-Mich) said today that he is going to "raise hell" in congress against the program on the grounds that the United States is "giving away its shirt."

He told a reporter that congress members who went home for Christmas "found out what the American people really think." Hoffman deemed "significant" the doubt expressed by Chairman Eaton (R-N. J.) of the House Foreign Affairs committee that congress can complete action on the Marshall Plan before next June.

The adminstration contention is that the alternative to the Marshall Plan is chaos, followed by Communist control of all Europe, a complete upset of the world balance of power; and the necessity for the United States to spend uncounted billions to build up American defenses.

THREE NEGROES ARE MISSING IN PLANE

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 3.—(AP)—Planes from North Carolina, Florida and Texas today joined in a search for a small air craft and its three Negro passengers who disappeared Thursday while enroute from Galveston, Texas, to New Orleans.

The plane was last heard of when it attempted to establish radio contact with the civil aeronautics station at Lake Charles, La.

Three searching planes were dispatched from McDill Field, Tampa, Fla.; two from Pope Field, Fayetteville, N. C.; and two from the El Paso.

Robert Scholes, manager of the Galveston airport, listed the missing as: B. J. Strode, 39, owner of a Negro Funeral Home at Galveston and pilot of the plane; his mother, and the Rev. W. H. Hightower, pastor of the Wesley Tabernacle Methodist Church at Galveston.

On the market is a new machine for inspecting small metal objects by means of their magnetic properties. Flawed pieces are automatically thrown out.

YALE'S OARSMEN DEFEAT QUAKERS IN FLORIDA EVENT

Jack Kelly, World Champion Sculler, Easily Wins His Division

By Wilbur Jennings

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Yale's eight-oared varsity crew defeated Pennsylvania by three feet in a thrilling race over the 2,000-meter Olympic distance on Lake Worth in a regatta between the two before an estimated 20,000 persons here today.

Coach Allen Walz's Bulldogs took a slight lead at the beginning, stroking 38 to the minute with Penn stroking 37.

Penn then pulled even but with a half mile to go, Yale moved into a quarter of a length lead over Rusty Callow's Quakers.

Yale's time was 6 minutes 26 6/10 seconds; Penn's 6 minutes, 25 2/10 seconds.

Yale's junior varsity eight-oared crew also was victorious while Pennsylvania's Jack B. Kelly, Jr., world champion sculler, won the single sculls event and the pair-oared Shell race also was taken by Penn.

Kelly virtually loafed along as he defeated a Yale twosome, Harry Payne Whitney and Richard Krementz, Jr., by three lengths.

Whitney was second by four-tenths of a second. Kelly was timed in 8:6 4/10, Whitney 8:12 4/10.

Kelly assumed a slight lead at the start of the 2,000 meters, or about a mile and a quarter, event, stroking 35 to the minute. Krementz also stroking 35, led Whitney, stroking 32, by a length.

Kelly, taking his time over the smooth surface, held the two length lead until the last half mile when he gradually bettered his position.

Kelly, in 1946, at 19, won both the American and Canadian singles Sculls championships, and the Diamond sculls at Henley, England, in 1947. He was recently awarded the Sullivan Award by the Amateur Athletic Association for being the outstanding amateur in 1947.

ARMED THREATENS BIG-MONEY CROWN

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 3.—(AP)—Armed, Calumet Farm's golden gelding, the world's second ranking money-earning thoroughbred, began his 1948 campaign to overtake Stymie's most-money-earned title yesterday at Gulfstream Park by easily winning the $3,500 Galiedo purse in a spectacular driving finish.

The brown son of Bull Lea trailed fourth in a field of five until the halfway mark in the six furlong test, moved to within five lengths of pacesetting Mangohick at the stretch, and won the race by a length and a half.

The victory boosted Armed's earnings to $763,700—putting him $52,360 behind Stymie for the world's record earnings by a race horse.

Veteran Jockey Doug Dodson, who has ridden Armed in most of his major victories, was astride the gallant campaigner yesterday, and, as usual, did not use the whip to overcome the vicious lead set by Mangohick and Stageboy.

Calumet Manager H. A. (Ben) Jones and trainer son Jimmy will run Armed in the $25,000-Added Gulfstream Handicap Jan. 15. They also have nominated their prima donna for the $25,000-Added McLennan Handicap Feb. 14 and the $50,000 Widener Feb. 21 at Hialeah. Armed last year won the McLennan and captured the Widener for the second straight year.

Wins in the three events would place Armed on top of the world's earners and bring his total income to approximately $828,200.

The favorite despite his 125-pound impost, Armed returned a slim 45 cents for each dollar wagered to win, paying $2.90 and $2.40. Stageboy was second and Mangohick, which set the pace, was third.

PELICAN STADIUM SITE SOLD, PIRATES HUNTING NEW DIAMOND LOCATION

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 3.—(AP)—A New York corporation has purchased the site of Pelican Stadium for $355,000 and plans to erect a multi-million dollar department store there.

The sale does not necessarily leave the New Orleans Pelicans of the Southern Association homeless.

Iberville Realty Company, sellers of the property, said they retained a lease on the grounds until Oct. 1, 1948, and may transfer the lease to the Pittsburgh Pirates who recently purchased the Pelican franchise.

The real estate deal involved only the land and not the stadium and equipment, the sellers announced.

Richard Freeman, a director of the realty company, said the Pirates have located three possible sites here for a new ball park but have not decided which one they will take.

The purchasing company, Gravier Corporation, is headed by Morris White, of New York, manufacturer of women's handbags, operator of numerous office buildings and apartments in New York and of several hotels.

TWO SPRINGHILL PLAYERS GET L. S. U. SCHOLARSHIPS

BATON ROUGE, La., Jan. 3.—(AP)—The Louisiana State University athletic department today said that athletic grant-in-aid scholarships had been approved for two Springhill, La., High School football stars who will enroll in the university next fall.

The players are Gerald Mardis, right end, and James "Junior" Turner, fullback.

COMPARISON

If our large trans-oceanic airplanes could travel as far in proportion to their weight as does the hummingbird, they could circle the earth at the equator 100,000 times without a stop.

WATCHES POLE

The Canadian government has the task of keeping track of the north magnetic pole. Located on Boothia peninsula, the pole shifts constantly.

Trimmings cut off in the manufacture of sponges are used in the United States for the manufacture of roofing paper and steam pipe insulation.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News-Star and Morning World is authorized to announce the candidacy of the following:

FOR SHERIFF
Bailey Grant
Candidate for Sheriff of Ouachita parish subject to the Democratic Primary January 20, 1948.

FOR SHERIFF
Ed Miller
Candidate for Sheriff of Ouachita Parish subject to the Democratic primary, January 20.

FOR SHERIFF
Garland May
Candidate for Sheriff of Ouachita parish subject to the Democratic primary January 20, 1948.

FOR SHERIFF
W. O. (Bill) Causey
Candidate for Sheriff of Ouachita parish subject to the Democratic primary January 20, 1948.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
Shady Wall
Candidate for house of representatives from Ouachita parish subject to the Democratic primary, January 20, 1948

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
R. Chester Jerdan
Candidate for seat in the lower house of the Louisiana State legislature from Ouachita parish subject to the Democratic primary, January 20, 1948

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
Howell H. Heard
Candidate for house of representatives from Ouachita parish subject to the Democratic primary, January 20, 1948

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
H. Y. (HI) JOHNSON
Candidate for seat in the lower house of the Louisiana State legislature from Ouachita parish subject to the Democratic primary January 20, 1948.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
Gilbert Brown
Candidate for seat in the lower house of the Louisiana State legislature from Ouachita parish subject to the Democratic primary January 20, 1948.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
Travis Oliver Thomas
Candidate for house of representatives from Ouachita parish subject to the Democratic primary, January 20, 1948.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
Andrew C. Pappas
Candidate for seat in the lower house of the Louisiana State legislature from Ouachita parish subject to the Democratic primary, January 20, 1948.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
W. G. Worley
Candidate for house of representatives from Ouachita parish subject to the Democratic primary, January 20, 1948.

FOR POLICE JUROR
Ward 3
C. E. Worley
Candidate for Ouachita Police Jury from Ward 3, subject to the Democratic primary, January 20, 1948.

POLICE JURY
Tom E. Hicks
Candidate for Ouachita Parish Police Jury from Ward Five, subject to the Democratic primary January 20, 1948.

FOR ASSESSOR
Dixie N. White
Candidate for Ouachita Parish Assessor subject to the Democratic Primary on January 20, 1948.

FOR ASSESSOR
Jesse L. Norris
Candidate for Ouachita Parish Assessor subject to the Democratic Primary on January 20, 1948.

FOR ASSESSOR
Bert Coverdale
Candidate for Ouachita Parish Assessor subject to the Democratic primary on January 20, 1948.

FOR OUACHITA PARISH CLERK OF COURT
H. H. Brinsmade
Subject to action of the Democratic primary January 20, 1948.

FOR OUACHITA PARISH CLERK OF COURT
R. Dean Farr
Subject to action of the Democratic primary January 20, 1948.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE
JOHN E. COON
Candidate for house of representatives from Ouachita parish subject to the Democratic primary, January 20, 1948.

SPECIAL NOTICES

MINUTES OF MEETING OF DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF OUACHITA PARISH, LOUISIANA

Monroe, Louisiana,
December 23, 1947.

The Democratic Executive Committee of the Parish of Ouachita, State of Louisiana, met in accordance with law on this date at the Court House in Monroe and proceeded to select the following commissioners of election and deputy sheriffs to serve at the Democratic Primary Election to be held on Tuesday, January 20, 1948, as follows:

WARD 1

Precinct 1—E. V. Inabnet, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. Mildred Rhodes, Mrs. Edna Sackett, Mrs. O. J. Ham, Joseph H. Gates, Mrs. Mose Perry.

Precinct 2—Tom D. Wafer, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. J. H. Hammons, J. S. Trezevant, Ruth D. Barr, Amos Smelser, J. B. Johnston, Jr.

WARD 2

Precinct 1—W. E. Palmer, Dy. Shf.; R. O. Aycock, Jesse Talley, Mrs. E. M. Knight, Mrs. Ella Hare, Mrs. T. G. Johnston.

WARD 3

Precinct 1—Walter F. Endom, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. C. E. Barton, Mattie Douglass, Mrs. Mary M. Devereux, John C. Ransom, Gus Bernheim.

Precinct 2—J. F. Brothers, Dy. Shf.; J. W. Mangham, Mrs. Viola Davis, Mrs. Clarence Marks, Mrs. J. C. Stroud, Sam M. Watson.

Precinct 3—Robert F. Courtney, Dy. Shf.; J. F. Killian, Mrs. J. W. Martin, Mrs. Aline Banister, Miss Frances Miano, L. M. Banister.

Precinct 4—Rufus J. Hall, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. Ira C. Castles, Jr., Robert L. Fuller, Mrs. Rose Lee Branch, Mrs. Ethel Johnson, J. W. Greenlee.

Precinct 5—F. C. Eason, Dy. Shf.; T. G. Easterling, George L. Tidwell, Mrs. Annie Gannaway, Mrs. Charles Roddy, John D. Coats.

Precinct 6—M. L. Simmons, Dy. Shf.; Miss Alice B. Hawthorne, Miss Mary Barbara, Leo Perry, Mrs. J. C. Brantley, Mrs. Sarah A. Doyle.

Precinct 7—F. E. Hammonds, Dy. Shf.; John C. Eby, Mrs. H. B. Newman, Mrs. C. S. Cheatham, Mrs. Thelma DeCell, Mrs. Nelson Abell.

Precinct 8—A. S. Tidwell, Jr., Dy. Shf.; Mrs. R. L. Ross, Mrs. May Lee Wooten, Mrs. C. W. Williams, Mrs. E. E. Clower, Mrs. Fred Hanna.

Precinct 9—Ted Mahr, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. Fred Pettit, Mrs. A. R. Bryan, Mrs. B. L. Mulhearn, Mrs. Robert Pribble, Mrs. Eva Mitchell.

Precinct 10—S. S. Henry, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. E. L. Whittington, Miss Mary DeArmond, M. D. Sisson, Mrs. F. Seaman, J. A. Scoggin, Jr.

Precinct 11—Mrs. Mary Paulus, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. G. B. Gannaway, Mrs. John Freeman, Mrs. J. B. Ryals, Mrs. W. H. Lupon, Will Atkinson.

Precinct 12—R. L. Taggert, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. J. Warrington, R. T. Faulk., Jr. Miss Neena Downey, Mrs. E. R. Dawson, Mrs. Pearl Johnson.

Precinct 13—E. M. Stringer, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. Neva B. Jones, Mrs. Alma Gimler, Mrs. Florence Brothers, J. J. Curry, U. W. Pickens.

Precinct 14—S. B. Hunt, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. B. A. Tarver, Sr., Mrs. H. J. Fernandez, Van D. Odom, W. F. Ross, Mrs. E. L. Lehman.

Precinct 15—Elmer Culpepper, Jr., Dy. Shf.; Mrs. Annie Culpepper, Fred W. Keller, Mrs. Ford Pipes, Mrs. C. L. Taylor, Mrs. R. Q. Cole.

Precinct 16—H. C. Trull, Dy. Shf.; Lester Carr, Mrs. Clara Musick, Mrs. Margaret Marine, Mrs. Elizabeth Cartwright, Mrs. Theodore Finkbeiner.

Precinct 17—Lawrence B. Pettit, Dy. Shf.; J. M. Brandao, Foster Bond, Russell W. Lee, Mrs. Lillian Sisson, Miss Mildred I. Boies.

WARD 4

Precinct 1—W. A. Brandt, Dy. Shf.; J. B. Filhoil, Jr., George Knight, Mrs. W. J. Lowe, Mrs. Mattie R. Faust, C. E. Granberry.

WARD 5

Precinct 1—A. B. Walters, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. Carl White, Mrs. P. E. Cowan, Clyde H. Cook, Sidney J. Monroe, Mrs. Ida H. Benson.

Precinct 2—W. E. Latham, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. Gladys Dickerson, Mrs. B. Rickerson, Ford A. Hines, Mrs. R. B. Henry, J. H. Watkins.

Precinct 3—W. L. Mitchell, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. Annie Lee Browning, Ray T. Buce, Mrs Sam Willensky, Mrs. Nall M. Haynes, Mrs. Rose McClain.

Precinct 4—W. T. Hemphill, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. Olga Dunn, G. H. Pankey, Mrs. Elva Haynes, Mrs. H. L. Pace, Mrs. Edna Norris.

Precinct 5—Phil S. Smith, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. Ivy Norris, Jesse Lolley, Durwood Brooks, Courtland F. Landreaux, Mrs. O. Dopson.

Precinct 6—A. L. Spillers, Dy. Shf.; Roy M. Steele, Mrs. Maria Potier, Mrs. Annie Furlow, Mrs. Pearl Branch, Mrs. W. H. Works.

Precinct 7—W. H. Fant, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. K. D. Hayes, Miss Katie McGee, Mrs. C. P. Gates, Billy R. Golson, J. Y. Pipes.

Precinct 8—Ira L. Brooks, Dy. Shf.; Miss Mary Pope, William S. Calloway, Mrs. Ralph Newman, Mrs. S. W. Cloyd, J. P. Golson.

Precinct 9—Ernest Hall, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. Peter T. Brown, John P. Bonar, Mrs. Ed R. Lee, Mrs. Mary H. Burkett, Conrad Cage, Jr.

Precinct 10—Y. L. Griffin, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. A. M. Eady, Mrs. Floyd McCormick, Miss Velma Daigle, John E. Duffy, Mrs. J. C. Weems.

Precinct 11—A. P. Burkett, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. Ella Ruth Butler, Mrs. Dayton Harley, Mrs. R. G. Hart, L. C. Allen, Mrs. C. E. Granberry.

Precinct 12—I. D. Jackson, Dy. Shf.; John Crowell, Mrs. Aline Davis, Mrs. Clifton Willbanks, Mrs. Mattie Lou Anding, J. D. Price.

Precinct 13—Clarence D. Little, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. Clara Gilliland, Mrs. Eunice Parrott, A. I. Allbright, Marshall Downs, R. M. Stamper.

Precinct 14—O. E. Noah, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. Sam Bourland, Mrs. James O. Tucker, Chester Decuir, J. L. Cash, Mrs. Nellie Adcock.

WARD 6

Precinct 1—D. R. Richardson, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. Sallie Humble, J. L. Heath, Jr., Rex Pipes, Mrs. W. F. Jones, Frank Golson.

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Precinct 1—Newsom Coon, Dy. Shf.; Rayph Haynes, Mrs. Rita Henry, Tom Landrum, I. C. Mayes, T. J. Golson.

WARD 8

Precinct 1—R. N. Johnston, Dy. Shf.; Fred J. Berry, Mrs. Lillie Berry, Alfred Rutledge, Mrs. Mary Landrum, C. C. Saterfiel.

Precinct 2—E. P. Mathis, Dy. Shf.; C. B. Griggs, Mrs. John Tolbird, Larrie R. Henry, James Y. Head, A. A. Moak.

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Precinct 1—T. T. Jones, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. N. T. Williamson, M. L. Peacock, M. Frank Wink, Dwight Owens, Robert C. Murphy.

WARD 10

Precinct 1—J. R. Petagna, Dy. Shf.; Mrs. Hattie E. Griffith, Mrs. Fletcher Ashcraft, Mrs. Blanche Oliver, Mrs. Lula Pope, Mrs. Mary Wilder.

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Precinct 10—H. C. Kinnerman, Sr., Dy. Shf.; Justin B. Glass, Mrs. Grace Haynes, Mrs. Myrtle Hart, Mrs. Gladys Maroney, A. L. Gresham.

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Precinct 12—Mike Luffey, Dy. Shf.; John Joseph, Mrs. Frances Adragna, Mrs. Era Osterland, Mrs. Audrey Inzina, Perry Liles.

Precinct 13—D. L. Schieber, Dy. Shf.; Clyde Nash, Mrs. Ruby L. Frantom, Mrs. Miriam Walker, Mrs. Lena M. Morrow, Mrs. D. L. Schieber.

Precinct 14—Harold Riggs, Dy. Shf.; Alonzo L. Parker, Mrs. H. M. James, Luther Jones, Sr., Mrs. J. J. McCabe, F. T. Smith, Jr.

There being no further business to come before the meeting, on motion duly made, seconded and unanimously carried, the meeting adjourned.

ALDEN T. SHOTWELL,
Chairman.

CARL H. McHENRY,
Secretary.

Notice is hereby given that the Polling Booths throughout the Parish of Ouachita, for the Primary Election to be held on January 20, 1948, shall be at the following locations, to-wit:

WARD 1

Precinct 1—T. J. Turner's Store, Fairbanks, Louisiana.

Precinct 2—D. Y. Smith School Bldg., Sterlington, Louisiana.

WARD 2

Precinct 1—Swartz School Grounds, Swartz, Louisiana.

WARD 3

Precinct 1—Presbyterian Church Annex, 315 Grammont Street.

Precinct 2—Court House.

Precinct 3—Miano's Store, 501 Catalpa Street.

Precinct 4—Hall's Service Station, 520 Jackson Street.

Precinct 5—Royal Confectionery, 701 Jackson St.

Precinct 6—Fire Station, Stone Avenue.

Precinct 7—T. H. Wood's Private Garage, 505 South Second Street.

Precinct 8—Tidwell & Sons Service Station, 1619 South Grand Street.

Precinct 9—Uneeda Grocery Store, 1101 South Second Street.

Precinct 10—Twin City Packing Plant, 601 Winnsboro Road.

Precinct 11—Fire Station on Lee & Jackson Streets.

Precinct 12—Guy Smart's Grocery, 2815 Lee Avenue.

Precinct 13—Poland's Sandwich Shop, 4315 South Grand Street.

Precinct 14—Highway Maintenance Office, Columbia Highway.

Precinct 15—Lovers' Lane Service Station, 2410 South Grand Street.

Precinct 16—Perkins Ice Plant, 3000 Lee Avenue.

Precinct 17—City Bus Barn, Lee Avenue.

WARD 4

Precinct 1—W. J. Lowes Store, Fondale, on Columbia Highway.

WARD 5

Precinct 1—City Hall, West Monroe, Trenton Street.

Precinct 2—Ouachita Parish Library Bldg., West Monroe, Cypress & Nat. St.

Precinct 3—Haile's Grocery, 301 Filhiol Avenue.

Precinct 4—Mercer Hotel, Brownville, Louisiana.

Precinct 5—Ambassador Club, North Side of Highway 80.

Precinct 6—Spiller's Store, 310 Montgomery.

Precinct 7—West Monroe Mattress Factory, 412 Claiborne Street.

Precinct 8—Downing's Pine Tourist Camp, South side of Highway 80.

Precinct 9—Corner Grocery Store, 200 South Third Street.

Precinct 10—V. F. W. Hall, 510 Natchitoches, West Monroe.

Precinct 11—Truck and Tractor, 102 Bridge St., West Monroe.

Precinct 12—Jackson Grocery, Bawcomville, La.

Precinct 13—Parkview Grocery Store, North 7th & Arkansas Road.

Precinct 14—Green Gables Tourist Camp, 1311 Cypress Street.

WARD 6

Precinct 1—Masonic Hall, Calhoun, Louisiana.

Precinct 2—Finley's Service Station, Calhoun, Louisiana.

WARD 7

Precinct 1—Cadeville School Building, Natchitoches Road.

WARD 8

Precinct 1—Parish Highway Barn, Jonesboro Road.

Precinct 2—Cotton's Store, Arrant Road.

WARD 9

Precinct 1—Hendrick's Store, Columbia Highway.

WARD 10

Precinct 1—Edwin Theus' Private Garage, 2000 Island Drive.

Precinct 2—Municipal Golf Club House, Forsythe Park.

Precinct 3—Episcopal Parish House, 405 Glenmar Street.

Precinct 4—Georgia Tucker School Building, 409 Stubbs.

Precinct 5—Quality Grocery Store, 1028 North Sixth Street.

Precinct 6—Kalil's Private Garage, 310 Bres Avenue.

Precinct 7—Twin City Plumbing Co., 506 North Third.

Precinct 8—Fire Station on South side of Louisville Avenue.

Precinct 9—Studebaker Agency, 310 North Third Street.

Precinct 10—The Trading Post, 711 Washington Street.

Precinct 11—Scott Truck & Tractor Company, 720 DeSiard Street.

Precinct 12—Luffey's Grocery Store, 2204 DeSiard Street.

Precinct 13—Auditorium of Junior College, 4000 DeSiard Street.

Precinct 14—Mahoney's Used Cars, 5800 DeSiard.

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Especially do we want to thank Rev. C. E. Antley for his beautifully expressed words of consolation and the Hall Funeral Home for their kind and sympathetic service.

THE GRANGER FAMILY.

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We wish to express our appreciation for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy and condolence extended by our neighbors and friends in Monroe and Winnsboro during our recent bereavement in the loss of our beloved wife and mother, Mrs. Inez Polk Tillman. We especially thank Rev. Hall of Winnsboro, Dr. Anderson and Dr. McConnell of Monroe, Mary's Flower Shop and the Mulhearn Funeral Home. All have our everlasting gratitude. Also many thanks for the beautiful floral offerings.

MR. TOMMY TILLMAN,
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The family of Joe W. Williams wishes to thank their many friends for kindnesses and sympathy shown during his long illness and death.

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LOST: Red Cocker Spaniel, 8 months old. No collar. Named "A-Rab." Last seen at 909 Walnut. Phone 2813 or 989. Louis Whitfield. 1-2-P

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10—Strayed, Lost, Found

LOST: Large red Irish Setter, wearing collar with name James Swink. Reward for information. Phone 6477-J. 1-6-P

LOST: Small red Jersey cow wearing black halter. Contact Herbert Young, 511 N. 8th, West Monroe. Phone 1245-W. 1-6-P

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71—Apartments, Furnished

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72—Business Places

FOR RENT OR SALE: Gasoline and oil bulk station. For information phone 695 or 295, Ruston, La. 1-5-P

74—Houses, Furnished

PENTHOUSE. 5 rooms and bath. Apply Monroe Hotel.

75—Houses, Unfurnished

4-ROOM HOUSE—Bath, screened porch, lights, Butane gas. 6 miles out on Monroe-Jonesboro Hwy. S. A. Dickerson. 1-7-A

78—Rooms Without Board

BEDROOM—Kitchen privilege. In private home, West Monroe. Phone 4772-W. 1-7-A

BEDROOM, adjoining bath. Working girls preferred. 409 Louisville Ave. 1-7-A

NICE, CLEAN FRONT BEDROOM—Private entrance. Adjoining bath. Close in. Gentlemen preferred. Phone 4924-M. 1-7-A

NEWLY-REDECORATED bedroom. Employed lady preferred. Phone 1526 mornings or after 6:00 p. m. 1-7-A

NICE BEDROOM—Adjoining bath. Close in. Men only. Phone 8609-W. 1-4-A

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BEDROOM with private bath. Close in. Working couple or men preferred. Phone 4311-J. 1-7-A

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83—Wanted To Rent

WORKING COUPLE, veteran and wife, desire furnished apartment. No children, no pets. Phone 2334-R. 1-6-P

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APARTMENT, 3 or 4 rooms, furnished or unfurnished, or unfurnished house in Monroe. Close in. Adults reliable. Best of references. Box A-A, care News-Star.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

84—Business Prop. For Sale

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85—Farms & Land For Sale

80-ACRES and 6-room house. Immediate possession. Tractor and all equipment. Call 361 or 1715-W. 2-2-P

FOR SALE: 4-room house, 4 acres of land. Gas, lights, running water. On White's Ferry Road. Reasonable. Phone 1319-M. 1-6-P

536 ACRES improved farm land. 300 acres cultivated. Ideal stock farm. 9 miles west of Wisner. Graveled highway. 6 houses. Electricity available. J. G. Mitchell, Wisner, La. 1-7-P

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20 ACRES, nice 5-room house. Front porch, large closed in back porch. Servants house. Brooder house. Cow and calf. All conveniences. 5 miles from West Monroe. ¼ mi. off Hwy. 80.
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40 ACRES—$1,700
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20 ACRES, 5 rooms and screened back porch. House built of cypress. Just off black-top. 4 buses daily. Open cattle range. $3,000. B. S. Braswell. Phone 2714 or 2372-J.

86—Houses For Sale

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MONROE, NORTH SIDE
109 POPLAR—3-bedroom home. Good condition. Immediate possession. $5,750.

MONROE, SOUTH SIDE
505 MOORE—6-rooms, arranged for 2 apartments. Possible revenue $80 monthly. Large lot. $6,825.

215 LAYTON—6-rooms, arranged for 2 apartments. Close to school and churches. Small lot. $5,250.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

86—Houses For Sale

5 ROOM HOUSE—$2,650
LOT, 50x60, corner Tim and Tippet Streets North of Brown Paper Mill. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400

NEW HOUSE
Be Completed About January 10th
5 LARGE ROOMS, breakfast nook, bath partly tiled, large screened porch, double garage and store room. Floor furnace, Venetian blinds. Lot, 110x190, nice shade trees. One of best locations near Junior College, on black-top street. $16,000. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

BY OWNER
2-BEDROOM HOME
5 rooms, bath. Garage with Concrete driveway. Lot 50x150. In excellent condition, good paint and paper.
Venetian blinds, large window fan. Asphalt tile in kitchen and bath. Built-in cabinets in kitchen, new hot water tank. Located 1303 North 2nd St., West Monroe.
$6,150
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NEW 4-ROOM HOUSE. Bath fixtures complete. Also, 4-room house next door. On Winnsboro Rd. Priced right. Phone 8520-J.

9-ROOM DUPLEX, 2 baths. One large screened porch. Wall heaters in most all rooms. Lot, 68'x150'. 1109 South 4th. $9,000. Possession on or before January 15. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

7 NEW HOMES under construction on North Side, near Municipal Golf Course, Park Avenue and Emerson Street. Prices range from $9,750 to $12,000. 2 and 3 bedroom houses. F. H. A. Commitments. Easily financed for veterans.
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4-APARTMENT HOUSE
10 rooms, 2 baths. 3-room garage apartment with bath. On Layton Ave. Income about $125 per month. $12,000. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

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2-Bedroom home. Immediate possession. $6,500.
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3507-3509 Dick Taylor
2 APARTMENTS, small grocery store in front, and small cottage without bath. Corner lot, 108x150. $5,500. Near new furniture factory.
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North 4th, West Monroe
2 Bedrooms, living room, dining room, kitchen, bath. Just redecorated inside. Perfect repair. $6,800. Immediate possession.
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3-BEDROOM HOME
BREAKFAST ROOM, and bath. Excellent condition. 3 lots, well landscaped, beautiful shrubbery. $7,500. Only 2 blocks from Catholic School. 305 Woodrow Street, West Monroe. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400

BRICK HOME
SIX LARGE ROOMS, tile bath, screened porch with concrete floor. All built-in features, lifetime roof, double garage with servants' quarters. Large lot fronting 100 ft., on DeSiard Road running back 370 ft., to Bayou DeSiard. Beautiful 100 ft., Bayou Bank. Riparian rights included. Several bearing pecan trees. Near Baptist Orphanage. 2,100 ft. floor space. $18,900. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

BEAUTIFUL home just completed. Open for inspection—Be sure to see it Sunday, Jan. 4th at 2 p. m. 900 Wilson St., West Monroe, one block from school. R. F. Coates. Phone 335-R.

FOR SALE—Business property corner Jackson and Louise Ann Sts. Lot 90x150. 4-family apartment house; 2 apartments furnished. Apartment house can be moved on back of lot leaving 90 ft. frontage on Jackson St. Plenty parking space. Price $25,000. Terms if desired. Harry G. Frazer, Phones 1834, 831.

ATTENTION G. I.'S
This house will take a good loan. Modern 2-bedroom home. Hardwood floors, real fireplace, all built-in features. Nice lot, garage. Located 310 Egan St. $6,250.
MILL ST. W. M.
Veteran approved home. Close to schools and churches. $7,150.
3300 LEE AVENUE
3 Bedrooms, corner lot. Newly redecorated inside and out. Venetian blinds. On bus line, across from school, near church. A good location, a good buy. Immediate possession. Can be financed. $7,500.
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FOR SALE
NEW 5-ROOM modern home. Plenty of shade trees. Outside city limits in Splane addition. School bus, mail delivery. Good neighborhood. Lot 75x160. $5,000.

NICE 3-BEDROOM modern home, part hardwood and part pine floors, bedrooms newly decorated, new bath fixtures. Fenced chicken yard with house. Lot 50x150. Near Crosley School, W. M. $2,250 down, $2,500 financed. Payments $23.00 per month.

LOVELY 2 bedroom home, hardwood floors, breakfast nook, fireplace, large bath. Built-in garage. Concrete drive. Beautiful yard. Large store room, chicken house and yard, garden spot. Near new high school site, West Monroe. Lot, 95x147½.

BEAUTIFULLY landscaped 10 acres with 3-room house, lights and water in house, new oil range. Large 2-story barn, nice chicken house. 100 young fruit trees, 3 pecan and one bearing pear tree. Fenced hog proof. On gravel road ¾ mile off Hwy. 80. 3 miles from city limits W. M. $4,500.
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FOR SALE
511 M'GUIRE, Cole Addn. Nice 6-room home. Beautiful hardwood floors throughout. Plenty large closets. Built-in kitchen cabinets. House 6 years old. $11,000.
LYON'S concrete store building and lot, with store and market equipment. At Girod, La. $4,100.
TRADING POST, 711 Washington. $2,000.
NEW 4-room house, 1 acre. Near McGough's Store on Sterlington road. $3,550.
2-STORY, 7 rooms and bath (without fixtures). 3 acres of ground. Near city limits, West Monroe. Hwy 80. $5,500.
1003 CYPRESS, West Monroe. 6-room house. Nice location. $1,000 down. Balance like rent.
FARM, 123 acres, 50 acres in cultivation. 2 houses. Lights, water and gas. Near city limits Monroe. $15,000.
FARM 24 acres, 2-room house. 8 miles this side of Bastrop. $1,200.
LOTS FOR SALE
ONE lot on Malvern St., sewerage and bus. $350.
3 ACRES, Edgewater Garden facing lake. $2,250.
2 CORNER LOTS facing Sterlington Road, near new brick home. $1,500.
LOT on Peach St., Monroe, ½ block off Jackson. $750.
2 LOTS on Mitchell Lane, West Monroe. $900.
7 ACRES. Standifer. $3,500.
LOT facing McGuire, Jr. College Addn. $800.
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LOT on Adams St. $575.
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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

86—Houses For Sale

ROOM HOUSE and bath. 40x40 lot. New paper. Good condition. Located in heart of Oak Grove. See Marvin Kirkland, Oak Grove. 1-10-A

LOVELY new modern 5-room home, 2 bedrooms, bath and garage. Near Hwy. 80, Splane Place. Large lot. No taxes. Nice trees. Priced reasonable. Would take some trade. Phone 2731-R.

ON ST. JOHN STREET
Completely furnished 3-bedroom home. $7,350.
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MONROE
Near Jr. College. Lovely 5-room home, just 1 year old. Hardwood floors, tex-tone walls, floor furnace, 2 lots. Owner leaving town. $8,500.
SOUTH SIDE Apartment house. Revenue $130 per month, plus 3-room apartment for owner. Good condition. Lot 100x111 ft. A real bargain. $8,750.
415 HOWARD AVE., 3-bedroom home, good condition. 2 lots.
507 WASHINGTON ST. $5,000.
NORTH 7TH. Lovely 7-room house, newly redecorated. Lot 65'x150'. $10,000.
WEST MONROE
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6 Room House—40 Acres
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37 ACRES LAND
NO IMPROVEMENTS, some hardwood timber, 2 miles N. E. of Swartz, adjoining Geo. Buckley's Place, ½ mile off gravel road. $1,100. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

For Quick Sale—$7,300
6-ROOM HOUSE, bath, 310 North 5th St. Completely furnished. Rented as duplex. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

Furnished Home—$4,500
Close in on North 3rd, 4 rooms and bath, hardwood floors, new paper, perfect repair. Small lot. Owner leaving town.
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Large House—North Side
8 extra large rooms, 2 baths, 2 screened porches. Completely furnished for 2 apartments. Corner lot 66x103. Would bring $90 to $100 revenue per month. 317 Arkansas Ave., just off Louisville Ave. Everything goes for $10,500. Can be seen by appointment only. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

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Beautiful 5-room log home and bath surrounded by pine grove. 4 acres land all under fence. Only 15 minutes from town.
House completely modern. Pine paneling throughout, hand-drawn cypress roof, insulated, floor furnaces, attic ventilation. Wood burning fireplace of native rock, fire-proof brick throughout. Water, lights, gas.
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5-ROOM HOUSE. FHA construction. 4 months old. 1,350 sq. ft. of floor space. A bargain at asking price.
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802 SOUTH RIVERFRONT, West Monroe 2-Story. Lot 100'x240'.
5-ROOM HOUSE partly furnished. 8 acres Milhaven road. Lights, gas, water.
HOME close in on Winnsboro road. 3 extra large lots. Good condition.
PRACTICALLY NEW 4-room house, Winnsboro road. $3,750.
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SUBURBAN HOME
BRICK and stucco. 6109 Cortez Street, Spanish City. 6 rooms, 3 bedrooms. Large lot garage. Included furniture. $7,500.
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North Side West Monroe
Lovely 2-bedroom home. New roof. Perfect repair. Lot 50x150. Best neighborhood. $6,500.
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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

86—Houses For Sale

206 LAYTON Ave. $5,500. B. S. Braswell. Phone 2714 or 2372-J.

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HOME & BUSINESS
Large 8-room house, 2 baths. Grocery store building, stock and fixtures. Large barn, large poultry house, out-buildings, 4 tenant houses, orchard, butane gas, lights, deep well water, 54 acres land, all open. On Monroe-Vicksburg Hwy., at Crew Lake, 12 miles from Monroe city limits. $17,500. E. W. Cruse. Phone 5400.

Beautiful Brand New Home
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87—Lots For Sale

PARK AVENUE. 75x145. $1,600.
HOOD ST., Ransom addition. $325.
2 LOTS, South 4th St. 50x150. $600 each.
LOT in 800 block of Glenmar.
LOT 50x150 in 2500 block Myrtle street.
2 LOTS on North 11th St., McGuire Addition, West Monroe.
2 LOTS in McGuire Highland Park Subdivision facing Arkansas road.
4 LOTS on Foch, 50x175 each.
4 LOTS on Park, 50x150 each.
LOT 50x150 Georgia and Plum. $550.
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Business Lots For Sale
NICE CORNER LOT. South Grand at Peach Street. Price $5,000.
NICE LOT facing 57½ ft. in 1200 block of South Second Street. Price $850.
THREE LOTS facing Jackson Street, at Benton Street. Price $750 each.
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LOT, 50x150 in 800 block South 2nd St., Monroe. $750.
LOT, 55x175 in 1400 block McGuire Ave., Crescent Bend Addition. $400.
CORNER LOT on McGuire, Cole Addition, near Junior College. $1,050.
LOT 100x150 on Milton St., just off Jasmine. $2,390.
LOT, 50x100, in 2700 block of Dick Taylor. $340.
CORNER lot. 100'x100'. Austin and South 4th, West Monroe. $1,550.
2 LOTS next to 220 North 11th, McGuire Addition, West Monroe. Ready to build on. Both $600.
LOT, 50x150 near Knowles Motor Co. in Traveler's Rest Addition. $385.
LOT, 180x200, on Park Avenue, in Fairview Addition. $30 per front foot.
E. W. CRUSE
302 Ouachita Bank Phone 5400

2 BEAUTIFUL LOTS, Splane Drive. Near Ridge Avenue Baptist Church. Near attractive new homes. Comfortable 2-room house on property. Gas, water and electricity available. Will sacrifice for $1,200. Phone 2731-R.

LOT, McGUIRE ADDITION, West Monroe. Beautiful pine trees. 100'x170'. $830. Phone 3702

88—Real Estate Brokers

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91—Wanted—Real Estate

WANTED TO BUY: 2-bedroom home, preferably in McGuire or Splane Addition, West Monroe. Phone 2537.

WANTED TO BUY—3-Bedroom house on north side. Phone 1094.

FACES CHARGE OF STEALING BEES

Floyd Townsend Of Harrisonburg Returned To Ouachita Parish

A new twist to an already confusing case involving the movement of 32 hives of honey bees came to light yesterday when the sheriff's office revealed that Floyd Townsend of Harrisonburg had been returned to Ouachita parish to face charges of theft.

Townsend was lodged in parish jail yesterday by Deputy Sheriff S. E. Wall, who had taken him into custody from Catahoula authorities. He had been arrested there for local authorities after charges had been filed by Arthur Allen, of Phillipsburg, Kan., reputed owner of the bees. He is held under default of $900 bond.

Townsend, with two companions, was alleged to have moved the bees to Harrisonburg last May. He and his companions claimed to have been given the 32 colonies while clearing a right-of-way near the Baptist Orphanage at Monroe.

Townsend then allegedly split the hives with Robert M. Beech and John Bartholmew, keeping twelve for himself. Beech gave his share to Bartholmew but later sued for their return.

The case of the honey-making insects was further confused when Arthur Allen, of Phillipsburg, Kan., showed up at Harrisonburg to claim all 32 hives in early September. The Kansas apiarian stated that he had more than 150 hives of bees in Ouachita and Richland parishes, farmed out on shares of their produce. These that had been removed from the orphanage were his, he asserted.

Allen and Bartholmew came to amicable arrangements, with Bartholmew retaining his 20 hives on a percentage basis. But for some reason Townsend and Allen failed to come to satisfactory terms.

In early December Allen filed a complaint with City Judge W. M Harper who issued a warrant for Townsend's arrest. He was arrested by Catahoula authorities to be turned over to Deputy Wall yesterday.

Townsend is charged with the theft of the entire 32 colonies, valued by Allen at $300.

UNIONS COMPLETE SHIFT FROM TEMPLE

Moving of the various labor union offices from the former Labor Temple on St. John street was completed yesterday.

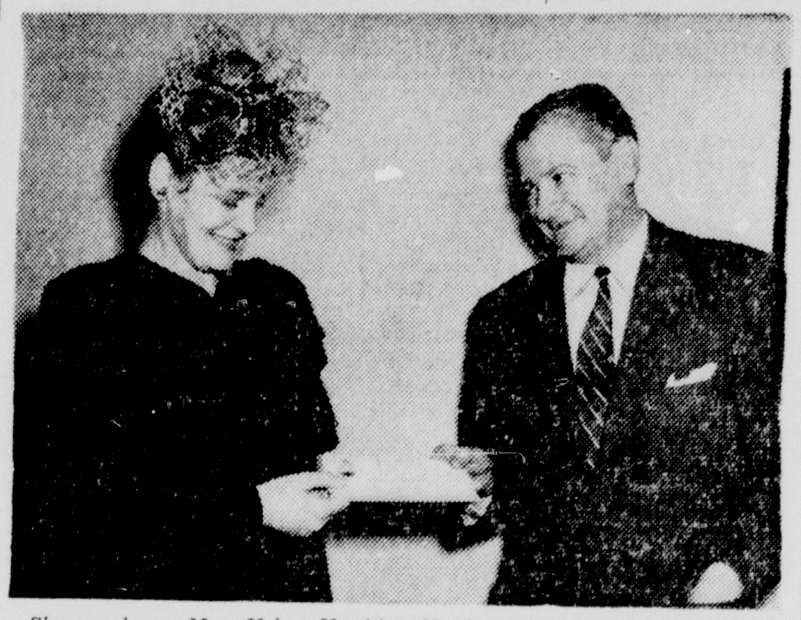
Many of the crafts will be located in offices above Keller Bros., 107 South Grand street, for the present. Those who have established permanent or temporary offices there are: the painters, plumbers, electricians, teamsters, and ironworkers.

Announcement that the Trades and Labor Council would meet Monday night at 8 o'clock at the Carpenters' Hall on Hall street, was made by Ralph White, recording secretary.

Members of the Typographical Local No. 540 were requested to meet at the Carpenters' Hall at 1:30 p. m. Sunday.

Greatest untapped source of oil is the 10,000,000 square miles of continental shelf that extends from a few to a 100 or so miles underwater from the shores of continents and islands.

NOW RICHER BY $250



Shown above, Mrs. Helen Hawkins Hood receiving a prize of $250 in the Good Neighbor contest of the Pepsi-Cola Bottling company. The award was made through the News-Star—World and George V. Lofton, managing editor, is shown delivering a check for the sum awarded. These contests are held monthly and there are numerous prizes given for original ideas as to how best to aid in any neighborly gesture.

SCHOOL SURVEY FOR DISCUSSION

Women Voters League To Hold Open Meeting Tuesday

An open meeting of the League of Women Voters will be held Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. in the health center here when the meeting will be devoted to a consideration of local school problems, and a report will be submitted of pertinent findings of the parish school survey.

Mrs. A. D. Tisdale will discuss "Population Trends of Ouachita Parish Survey."

Mrs. Julius Chandler will tell of "Pertinent Findings of the School Survey As Regards the Parish Schools," and Mrs. R. M. Troy will discuss "Pertinent Findings As They Concern the City Schools."

Attorney Albin P. Lassiter will speak on "Municipal Control of the School Budget."

A new lightweight piano has been built. The miniature "K" piano has 64 keys and weighs only 80 pounds. In its traveling case, the instrument can be carried on train and checked with luggage.

TO GIVE ADDRESS

ALBIN LASSITER

E. JACK SELIGS TO VISIT IN MONROE

Mr. and Mrs. E. Jack Selig, of Glencoe, Ill., will arrive in Monroe Tuesday to spend a few days with sisters and brothers as well as local friends hereabouts.

They are on their way to Tucson, Ariz., where they are to spend the winter months.

WIG AND MASK CLUB WILL PLAY

'Dulcy' In Three Acts Slated January 9 At Northeast Junior College

A recipe of one large portion of side-splitting laughter, a dash of spine-tingling mystery, a pinch of romance flavored with tantalizing suspense, mixed well, results in "Dulcy," the three-act comedy by George S. Kaufman and Marc Connelly. The play will be presented by the Wig and Mask Club of Northeast Junior College this Friday, January 9, at 8 p. m. in the college auditorium under the direction of James W. Parkerson, speech instructor.

The story is about Dulcy, wife of Gordon Smith, young business man who is trying to close a big business deal. Dulcy, in hopes of success for her husband, tries to help by giving a party for the prospective business associates and their families. During the social affair, which is a merry mixup, many complications arise with the appearance of a romantic Hollywood scenarist, a shrewd financier, an extrovert advertising engineer and a butler with leanings toward larceny. The end is a tremendous surprise.

Pat Harbuck, Monroe sophomore, plays the role of Dulcy, while Joe Saragusa, Monroe freshman, portrays the part of Gordon Smith, her husband. Other members of the cast include: Danny Christman as William Parker, Dulcy's brother; Cline Clark as C. Roger Forbes, the financier; Evelyn Gannaway as Mrs. Forbes; Cecile Danna as Angela, the Forbes' daughter; George Elam as Schyler Van Dyck who is mentally unbalanced and tries to pass as a millionaire; Richard D. Wright, who portrays Tom Sterrett, young advertising engineer; James E. Gilmer as Vincent Leach, Hollywood scenarist; Jimmy Hobbs as Blair Patterson, lawyer and cousin of Van Dyck, and Arthur Laurent, who has the part of Henry, the somewhat doubtful butler.

Tickets will be on sale in the lobby of the auditorium.

EAT PALM TRUNKS

Portion of the trunks of palm trees are eaten by natives of Jamaica. The part nearest the leaves is barked and many layers removed until the inner portion is reached. This resembles hearts of celery, is picked, eaten raw, or served like cauliflower.

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Hidden design under EVERY BOTTLE TOP

Every entry gets at least a 100 point Certificate for the Family Sweepstakes

$203,725.00

WIN ONE OR MORE OF THESE CASH PRIZES

51 CASH PRIZES EACH MONTH IN YOUR STATE!

IN ADDITION...WIN FAMILY SWEEPSTAKES 1st PRIZE $25,000.00 CASH!

IN ADDITION...WIN MONTHLY NATIONAL PRIZES!

Cash prizes by the thousands! Lots of chances to win! Pepsi-Cola's fascinating "Treasure Top" Sweepstakes and Contests offers $203,725 in total cash prizes! (Including special prizes for dealers.)

It's easy to enter! On an entry blank or sheet of paper, complete this sentence in 25 additional words or less: "Pepsi-Cola hits the spot because . . .". State on each entry your name and address, the name of the head of your family, your Pepsi-Cola dealer's name and address, and the total number of different "Treasure Top" designs you have collected. Then mail your entry, with *one* "Treasure Top," to Pepsi-Cola "Treasure Top" Contests, P. O. Box 17, New York 8, N. Y.

Each month—there are 51 separate prizes awarded in each state and the District of Columbia—a monthly total of 2,499 cash prizes. Contestants in each state compete *only* with entries from that state.

Each month—there are three national prizes, awarded to the best three of the 49 State First-Prize winners. These monthly national prizes are $1,000, $500 and $250 respectively.

At the close of the six months' contest period, 40 Family Sweepstakes Prizes, (*First Prize, $25,000 Cash*) will be awarded. Here's how it works: Every time you enter you will receive a 100 point Treasure Certificate. Also, every entry winning a monthly prize will receive an additional 100 point Treasure Certificate. At the end of the contest, the 100 families with the greatest number of Treasure Points will qualify for the Family Sweepstakes Finals! (Read rule 8 below.) You may enter these contests as many times as you wish. Don't wait! Read the contest rules carefully—get your family started NOW in these big Pepsi-Cola "Treasure Top" Sweepstakes and Contests!

Win your prize from this list

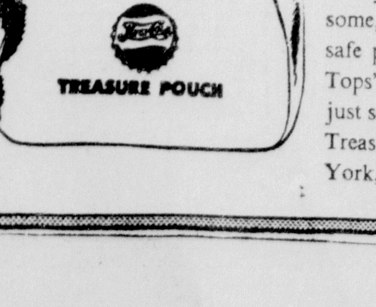
Family Sweepstakes Prizes:
1st PRIZE: $25,000.00
2nd PRIZE: $5,000.00 4th PRIZE: $1,000.00
3rd PRIZE: $2,000.00 5th PRIZE: $500.00
35 PRIZES: $100.00 each

Monthly National Prizes:
1st PRIZE: $1,000.00
2nd PRIZE: $500.00 3rd PRIZE: $250.00

Monthly Prizes in Every State:
1st PRIZE: $100.00
2nd PRIZE: $50.00 4th to 10th PRIZES: each $10.00
3rd PRIZE: $25.00 NEXT 41 PRIZES: each $5.00

★ Every entry gets at least a 100 point Treasure Certificate toward the Family Sweepstakes Prizes

Everybody Can Get a TREASURE Pouch



This big, 7-inch Treasure Pouch is made of heavy cloth with a zipper at the top; has back loops so that it may be worn on a belt. It's handsome, it's handy, it's practical, it's a safe place to keep your "Treasure Tops". To get your Treasure Pouch, just send 25¢ in coin to Pepsi-Cola Treasure Pouch, P. O. Box 19, New York, N. Y.

"TREASURE TOPS"—what they are

"Treasure Tops" are Pepsi-Cola bottle tops with hidden designs under the cork lining. To find the design, simply remove the cork from inside the bottle top. At present, there are 48 different designs—symbols of branches of the U. S. Armed Forces—like those shown above. At intervals during the contest, new designs will be added. That makes these big Pepsi-Cola "Treasure Top" Sweepstakes and Contests even more fun. Look for them! Collect them!

Find the hidden designs

Soak and flip out

Soak Pepsi-Cola bottle tops in moderately hot water until cork lining softens. Then cork can be removed from top with pen knife or kitchen knife.

Facts about Pepsi-Cola to help you win!

Here are just a few of the reasons why so many people prefer Pepsi-Cola to any other soft drink. Perhaps they'll help you when you're preparing your contest entries.

QUALITY—The finest of ingredients, the utmost care and skill in blending and bottling, make Pepsi-Cola *tops* for quality.

SIZE—That big Pepsi-Cola bottle speaks for itself. Every bottle holds 12 full ounces of pleasant drinking. That means Pepsi goes farther—makes entertaining more economical—gives you plenty to enjoy.

TASTE—Your own taste tells you that flavor comes first with good good Pepsi. It's the swell-tasting drink that packs lots of smoother drinking in every bottle.

VALUE—Bigger, better Pepsi-Cola sets the pace for value. Compare Pepsi by any standard . . . for quality, size or taste. You'll find it's your best drink, your best buy.

HERE ARE THE OFFICIAL CONTEST RULES

1. On your entry blank or a sheet of paper, complete this statement in 25 words or less—"Pepsi-Cola hits the spot because . . .". Then write down your own name and address, the name of the head of your family, the name and address of the Pepsi-Cola dealer who helped you, and the total number of different designs on Pepsi-Cola "Treasure Tops" you have collected. Then mail your entry, together with one Pepsi-Cola "Treasure Top" with cork removed to show hidden design, to:

Pepsi-Cola "Treasure Top" Contests,
P. O. Box 17
New York 8, N. Y.

Entries with insufficient postage not accepted.

2. **The number of different designs you have collected will not be a factor in the awarding of the prizes.** However, when you win a monthly prize, you must be able to show your total collection of different designs reported in the winning entry. Also, it's fun to collect and swap "Treasure Tops". Do *not* send your collection of "Treasure Tops" with your entry. Send in only one top with each entry.

3. You may enter these contests as many times each month as you wish, but no entry postmarked after June 30, 1948 will be accepted. Each time you enter, whether you win a cash prize or not, we will mail you a Treasure Certificate good for 100 points toward the $37,000.00 Family Sweepstakes Prizes. If you win any one of the monthly prizes, you will receive 100 additional Treasure Certificate points.

4. All entries received during each calendar month will be judged in that month's contest. Entries from each state (and from the District of Columbia) will be judged separately, and will compete for the monthly state prizes only with other entries from that state.

5. Monthly cash prizes as listed on this page will be awarded on the basis of aptness, originality and interest of the statements submitted (see Rule 1). Each month's national prizes will be awarded to the three best entries of the 49 state first-prize winners in each monthly contest. All entries will be judged by the impartial judging staff of The Reuben H. Donnelley Corporation, an independent, nationally-known contest judging organization. Decisions of the judges will be final.

6. All entries must be prepared by the contestant. Elaborate or fancy entries will not count extra. All entries and statements become the property of the Pepsi-Cola Company and none will be returned. In case of ties, the prize tied for will be awarded to each tied contestant, except for the sweepstakes prizes, procedure for which is listed under Rule 8.

7. Only contestants living within the 48 states or the District of Columbia will be eligible. Anyone may enter these contests except the employees of the Pepsi-Cola Company, Pepsi-Cola bottling companies or their advertising agencies. Members of the families of these employees are also excluded.

8. HUGE NATIONAL SWEEPSTAKES PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED AS FOLLOWS:

(a) Each Treasure Certificate received by you or members of your family (see Rule 3) counts 100 Sweepstakes Points for your family. *Save them!* (For the purpose of this contest, a "family" shall be considered as only persons related by blood, marriage or adoption living in the same household under one family head.)

(b) The 100 families, plus families tying with any of them, who have received the greatest number of Sweepstakes Points in the competition, qualify for the Sweepstakes Finals. Each family thus qualifying must be prepared to show the total number of Treasure Certificates received by the family and also to show the total number of "Treasure Top" designs reported in the family's entries (see Rule 1). Both the number of Treasure Certificates and the number of "Treasure Top" designs must agree with official contest records of the judging staff and these records will be considered final where any discrepancy occurs.

(c) The qualifying families will then be promptly notified and each family will be required to submit one statement of fifty words or less on the subject "How the Sales of Pepsi-Cola Can Be Increased". They must get the help of their Pepsi-Cola dealer in preparing this statement and must submit that dealer's name and address. The Sweepstakes Prizes will then be awarded by the impartial judging staff, mentioned in Rule 5, on the basis of aptness, originality and sincerity of the statements thus submitted.

These contests are subject to all state and local laws and regulations.

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NAME ____________
ADDRESS ____________
(PLEASE PRINT)
____
NAME OF HEAD OF FAMILY

PEPSI-COLA HITS THE SPOT BECAUSE ____________
(25 ADDITIONAL WORDS OR LESS)

I have, so far, collected and am holding "Treasure Tops" with a total of ______ different designs, not including the one enclosed herewith. I have received assistance and advice in preparation of my entry from the following dealer:

DEALER'S NAME ____________
(Your dealer may win a special prize if he has assisted you.)
and
ADDRESS ____________
(Be sure to enclose one "Treasure Top" with this entry.)

(Not necessary to use this blank. Use any sheet of paper but be sure your entry is complete in every detail.)

SOCIETY SECTION

Monroe Morning World
Sunday, January 4, 1948

Mrs. Thomas Gilbert Harkey, upper left, the former Miss Peggy Morrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Walter Morrison, whose marriage was one of the season's important nuptial events.

Mrs. David Normann, upper right, a December bride, whose marriage was a prominent event of recent date. Mrs. Normann was formerly Miss Rhoda Kellogg, daughter of Mrs. Thomas Leigh.

Two charming hostesses, Mrs. Neil Buie and Mrs. C. P. Jarrell, are seen with their two guests of honor at a tea at the Lotus Club during the holidays. Reading from left to right, they are: Mrs. Lyman Jarrell, Mrs. Breed, Mrs. Buie and Mrs. Jarrell, lower left.

Miss Cornelia McHenry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Holbrook McHenry, lower center, whose engagement to Mr. Grant Thomas of Charleston, W. Va., son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thomas, of Akron, Ohio, is announced today.

Miss Margot Strauss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Strauss, whose engagement and approaching marriage to Mr. Herbert Garon, son of Mrs. Harry Goldstein of New Orleans, is announced today. Lower right.

Morrison-Harkey Wedding Prominent Event At St. Matthew's Catholic Church

Interest Centered In Nuptial Event

Reception At Stanley Hodges Home Takes Place Following The Church Ceremony

Dignity, solemnity, and much beauty of detail characterized the wedding of Miss Peggy Morrison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Walter Morrison and Mr. Thomas Gilbert Harkey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Haynes Harkey of Lake Providence, La., at St. Matthew's Catholic church Saturday, December 27, at four-thirty o'clock in the afternoon.

Monsignor John Marsh, wearing the ecclesiastical robes of his high office, performed the impressive ceremony in the presence of a large concourse of relatives and friends filling to capacity the generous confines of the church.

Cathedral tapers, lighted by the altar boys, Stanley Hodges Jr., cousin of the bride and Hugh Biggar, cast a radiance along the aisle and the inner recesses of the altar where Calla lilies were banked in effective manner.

Mr Leon Hammond, organist, rendered a concert of prenuptial airs and accompanied the soloist, Miss Louise Endom who sang in beautiful voice, Schubert's "Are Maria" and "Panis Angelicus."

The pews reserved for members of the family and intimate friends were designated by sprays of Calla lilies and fern.

Pageantry Of Beauty

The bride and her attendants formed a pageantry of beauty walking down the aisle to the accompaniment of Lohengrin's Wedding March. The matron of honor, Mrs. R. R. Underwood, wore a beautiful gold colored model of faille fashioned with off the shoulder bodice trimmed with a bias fold of the material. The skirt, long and full, was fashioned with a bustle held in place with a cluster of copper colored roses. She wore long gold colored gloves and carried an arm bouquet of Talisman roses.

The bridesmaids, Miss Gloria Marie Cooper of Little Rock, Miss Allein Harkey of Lake Providence, Mrs. A. Jackson Wyly of New Orleans, Mrs. Carl Crites of Norman, Okla., and Mrs. John Allder of Stockston, Mo., wore green faille models fashioned along lines similar to the gown worn by the matron of honor. They all wore long, green faille gloves and carried arm bouquets of Talisman roses.

Mr. Harkey's best man was his brother, Mr. Haynes L. Harkey Jr., and his groomsmen were Mr. John Terrel of Lake Providence, Mr. A. Jackson Wyly of New Orleans, Mr. John Beard of Shreveport and Mr. R. R. Underwood.

Bride Carries Orchids

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was the traditional bride in every respect. Her gown, a regal one of ivory Duchess satin, was fashioned with a deep yoke of marquisette edged with a ruffle of imported lace. The sleeves were long and tight fitting.

The skirt with its royal sweep of train was adroitly draped in the back in a full saddle bustle. The veil of rose point lace and tulle was caught to the hair with a coronet of pearls and fell to the edge of the train. For something old she carried an heirloom rose point lace handkerchief. Beautiful antique earrings and pin, a gift from the bridegroom were worn.

The bride's bouquet was fashioned of white orchids and valley lilies.

The reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hodges, the bride's uncle and aunt, attracted most of the wedding guests. Calla lilies and white gladioli were used in artistic profusion throughout the lower floor. Especially artistic was the grouping of the Calla lilies in the reception suite where the bride and groom and three attendants stood.

Mrs. Morrison, the bride's mother, wore a beautiful crepe model in shades of crushed mulberry trimmed with bands of mulberry colored sequins and bagget beads. The skirt, floor length, was gracefully draped to the front. She wore a corsage of orchids.

Mrs. Harkey, the bridegroom's mother, wore a lovely model of azure blue crepe with tight fitting basque and long torso skirt gathered full at the hip line. The deep yoke of the basque was embroidered in sequins. She also wore orchids.

Mrs. Hodges, in lovely evening attire, was assisted in extending courtesies by Mr. Hodges and Stanley Hodges.

White coated attendants passed among the guests with trays laden with individual wedding cakes and frost. : punch.

The lace covered bride's table in the dining room was of charming appointment. White candles gleamed in Colonial silver candelabra at either end of the table and in the center was placed the double heart-shaped wedding cake surmounted with a bride's bouquet of crystalized Calla lilies. Baby Calla lilies encircled the cake at the base and at intervals bows of white satin ribbon were placed.

Honeymoon On Coast

The bride and bridegroom cut their wedding cake and then left for a honeymoon on the Gulf coast. The bride traveled in smart spring "Youthcraft" suit, in the new 1948 "Margar:t" shade of blue. The tight fitting short jacket of Forstmann gabardine was fashioned with a flattering bias cuff around the hip line. It was buttoned up the front with a small pearl and gold buttons. The "New Look" silhouette featured a long, eight gored skirt. She wore a close fitting hat of pale pink with rose trim and matching veil. Her corsage was of white orchids.

Mrs. Hodges was assisted by: Mrs. H. G. Cooper, Mrs. Charles Guerriero, Jr., Mrs. George Guerriero, Mrs. Henry Guerriero, Miss Patricia Ann Guerriero, Miss Maion Louise Guerriero, Mrs. J. C. Ussery, Miss Mary Louise Guerriero, Mrs. John Gwin Morrison, Miss Katherine Guerriero. They all wore evening models.

The bride, attractive member of the younger set, is a graduate of Neville High School and Northeast Junior College. She is a member of Delta Beta Sigma and Kappa Delta sororities. Since graduation she has been employed in the clerical capacity by F. Strauss and Company..

Mr. Harkey is a graduate of the Lake Providence High School and Webb School in Bell Buckle, Tenn. He is now completing his studies at L. P. I. in Ruston where he and Mrs. Harkey will make their home.

BRIDAL ATTENDANTS IN THE MORRISON-HARKEY NUPTIALS

When Miss Peggy Morrison walked to the altar to become the bride of Mr. Thomas Gilbert Harkey she was attended by five maids and a matron of honor. Reading from left to right they are: Miss Ailein Harkey of Lake Providence, Mrs. John Alder, Miss Gloria Marie Cooper, Mrs. Robert Underwood, Mrs. Carl Crites and Mrs. Jack Wyly.

Members of the Quid Nunc Club gathered in the home of Miss Mary Agnes Rizzo Tuesday afternoon for a combined Christmas party and business session.

The spacious living room adorned with Christmas decorations provided the appropriate atmosphere for the exchanging of gifts. Later in the afternoon a short business meeting was held to discuss plans for the annual dance.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following: Misses Mary Wilton McHenry, Shirley Bacon, Patricia Wadley, Maurine Linquist, Virginia Laing, Jo Ann Roberts, Betty Maricella, Betty Jo Roach, Nellie Kate Steger, Patsy Ates, Ann Braun, Charlene Kaplan, Nell Cowart, Jane Tidwell, and Clara Irene Lolland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Rutledge announce the birth of a son, Larry Gaston, at the St. Francis Sanitarium December 31. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Peacock and paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rutledge. The child weighed 8 pounds, 11 ounces at birth.

YOUNGER BEAU MONDE ATTEND BIRTHDAY PARTY HONORING SALLY RYAN AND LOUISE GRAY

Members of Monroe's younger beau monde set romped and played in the spacious ballroom at the Recreation Center when Sally Ryan, daughter of Mrs. Patricia D. Ryan and Louise Ormond Gray, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Prentice Gray, Jr., celebrated their seventh birthday anniversaries.

The celebrants, wearing party frocks and ribbons in their hair and their first corsages, were the central figures in the group of children who came to pay their respects and to present Sally and Louise Ormond with beautiful gifts.

During the afternoon serpentine and confetti created a carnival atmosphere. The distribution of favors was another feature giving the guests considerable pleasure.

Mrs. Ryan and Mrs. Gray were assisted in directing the games and in serving ice cream and little Christmas cakes, by Mrs. Ross Laurence, Mrs. Kent Breard, Mrs. Briscoe Trousdale, Jr., and Mrs. Harry Lemert. Mrs. Trousdale played the piano at intervals during the afternoon.

Wishing the celebrants "Happy Birthday" were: Jimmy Woods, Linda Woods, Stanley Wyatt, Skippy Culpepper, Rickey McClendon, Marie Nelson, Tommy Thompson, Denny Serex, Constance Keller, Martha Riser, Don Updegraff, Ron Updegraff, Mary Jo Davenport, Mark Womack, Tommy Davenport, Steve Henry, Diana Cutler, Peter Lawrence, Vic Barnett, Patty Prophit, Penny Prophit, Nell Standley, Jimmy Standley, Kenneth Inabnet, Stephen Wallace, Charles Garretson, Tommy Frazier, Polly McDuffie, Landry Ducote, Joy Sutton, Jane Worthing, Kay Kellogg, Chloe Smith, Kay Lewis, Joe Montgomery, Betty Gray Granberry, Eloise Granberry, Austin Miller, Minta Goyne, Lynn Theus, Coy Theus, Audrey Murphy, Patricia Lynch, Cynthia Dawkins, Jodi Biedenharn, Conway Gaston, Markley Huey, Helen Theus, Bennie Peters, Decker Moore, Earl Chumney, Linda Noe, King Trousdale, Ann Trousdale, Sally Seamon, Evelyn Amman, Jackie Masur, Margaret Taylor, Warren Taylor, Joyce Turpin, Lucy Lee Turpin, Walter Kellogg, Sue Kellogg, Gay Demmary, Peggy Pierce, Annie L. Youngblood, Sue Stubbs, King Stubbs, Sally Hinkle, Ann Jarrell, Carolyn Cummings, Nancy Snellings, Jimmy Sparks, Travis Oliver, Sally Oliver, Jan Jordan, Jimbo Harper, "Sonny" Harper, Vernon La Cour, Jr., Tom Simonton, Nat Troy, Linda Eby, Susan Austin, Guy Campbell, Ann Gilbert, Katie Young, Linda Ware, Betty Hemphill, Gayle Gilliland, Carey Sue Turner, Linda Steele, Terry Joe Belton, Vincente Guiterrey, Lari Harris, Dickey Wright, Darla McAllister, Sam Bussey, Mary Lynn Scogin, Lawson Herron, Jerry Knipping, Lea Hale, Gayle Crow, Maxine Jones, Neil Godwin, Ted Aldrich, Helen Nottingham, Jerry Deane, Duncan Buie, Conroy Hines, Dorothy Dawson, Jack Collins, Allen Trousdale, G. B. Thompson, Duke Hart, Carl Haines, Tom Baker King, Calvin Rinicker, George Weaks, Jr., Pill Pope, James Carroll Fourmy, Marie Adele Hancock, Given John, Bennett La Cour, Billy Allen, Mary Wilson and others.

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Mother's Friend massaging preparation helps bring ease and comfort to expectant mothers.

MOTHER'S FRIEND, an exquisitely prepared emollient, is useful in all conditions where a bland, mild anodyne massage medium in skin lubrication is desired. One condition in which women for more than 70 years have used it is an application for massaging the body during pregnancy . . . it helps keep the skin soft and pliable . . . thus avoiding unnecessary discomfort due to dryness and tightness. It refreshes and tones the skin. An ideal massage application for the numb, tingling or burning sensations of the skin . . . for the tired back muscles or cramp-like pains in the legs. Quickly absorbed. Delightful to use. Highly praised by users, many doctors and nurses. Millions of bottles sold. Just ask any druggist for Mother's Friend—the skin emollient and lubricant. Do try it.

Mother's Friend

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MAKE A FIRM resolution on this first Sunday of the new year to enjoy life in leisurely manner during the months ahead. Resolve to entertain your friends regularly at the **LA CASA** where the burden of planning a meal and entertaining friends is lifted from your shoulders. There will be more leisure time during the year 1948 for all hostesses who take their luncheon and dinner guests to the **LA CASA** where the atmosphere is homelike and the food has that delicious home-cooked flavor.

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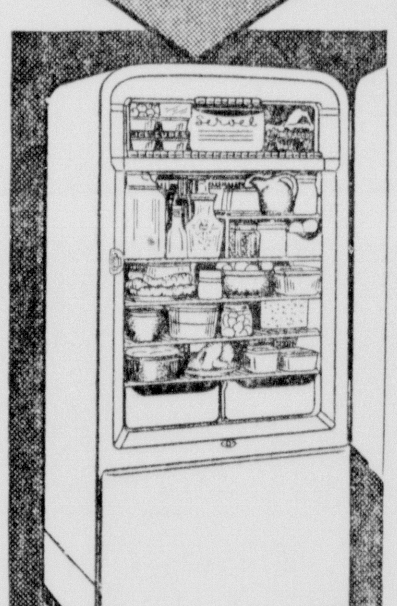

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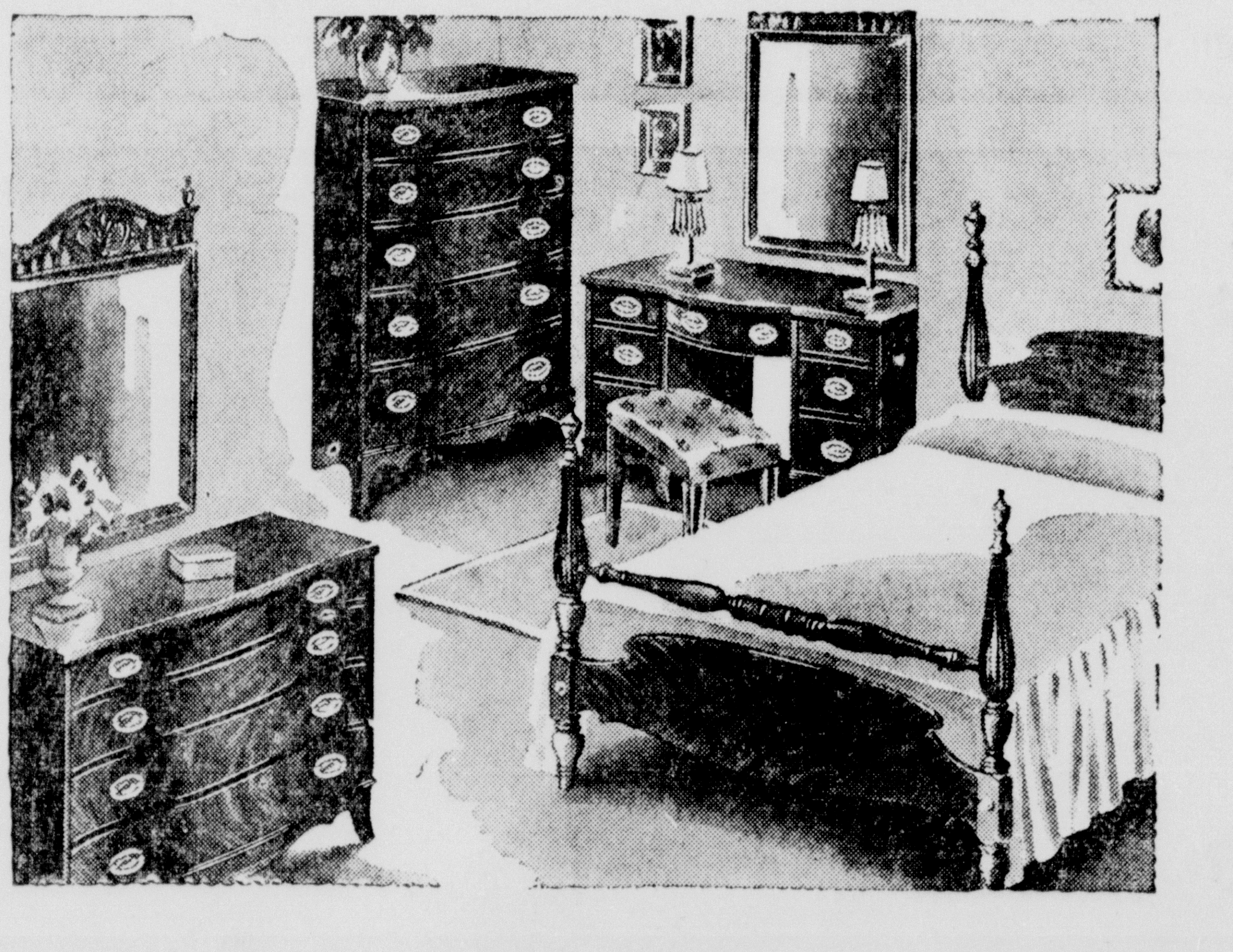

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MARRIAGE OF MISS HUNT AND MR. M. K. FREEMAN, JR., IS OF INTEREST TO THEIR FRIENDS

A ten o'clock wedding, Friday morning, December 26 attracted friends to Grace Episcopal church, where Miss Margaret Frances Hunt, daughter of Mrs. Thomas J. Hunt, walked down the aisle to become the bride of Mr. Mark Dalton Freeman, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Freeman of Tallulah Miss.

The ceremony was performed by the rector, Dr. E. F. Hayward, against a background of palms and woodwardia fern and scarlet carnations in keeping with the Christmas theme.

While the guests were being seated by the ushers, Mr. Edgar Hemphill and Mr. Bailey Grant, the organist, Mr. Lowery Jefferson, rendered a brilliant concert and accompanied the soloist, Mrs. Jack Hays who sang, "Ave Maria."

The bride's sister, Mrs. Edgar Hemphill, served as matron of honor. She wore a grey dressmaker suit, with small black hat, and black gloves. She carried an old fashioned bouquet of yellow gladioli tied with lengths of blue satin ribbon. Mr. Freeman's brother-in-law, Mr. Leonard J. Leas, served as best man. The bride's mother, Mrs. Thomas Hunt, walked down the aisle in a black gabardine tailleur with white blouse. Her corsage was of purple orchids.

The bridegroom's mother wore a gray tailored suit with printed blouse. Her corsage was of purple orchids.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Thomas J. Hunt, wore an advanced spring model of aqua light weight wool with harmonizing blouse and a flattering off-the-face hat of black. She carried a white leather prayer book surmounted with a spray of white carnations and stephanotis.

An informal reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Harrison where the wedding cake was cut before the young couple left on a honeymoon in New Orleans. Before leaving the bride changed for a beautiful tailleur of navy blue with blue and white checked top coat and navy blue accessories.

When they return from their honeymoon Mr. and Mrs. Freeman will be at home to their friends at 3008 South Washington, Vicksburg, Miss., where Mr. Freeman is a grain buyer for the P. P. Williams Co.

The bride is a graduate of the Ouachita Parish high school and Louisiana Tech. She is a member of Alpha Delta Kappa and Theta Beta sororities. Since graduation she has been laboratory technician at the Street Clinic in Vicksburg.

Members of the Sigma Phi Omega fraternity, Sigma chapter, entertained on the terrace of the Frances Hotel, where their annual New Year's dance went forward with considerable pomp and formality.

At the far end of the terrace, over the orchestral balcony, the Greek letters of the fraternity were emblazoned in purple and gold, the fraternity colors.

The traditional grand march occurred just before intermission, after which the orchestra played the Sigma Phi Omega special and other numbers in tribute to all the local fraternities and sororities.

Balloons of vivid hue fluttering from the chandeliers added a note of festivity.

Following the dance fraternity members and their "dates" attended a breakfast in the home of Betty Sue Scott.

Sigma Phi Omega members and their dates were: Gene Lambert and Jane Coates, Richard Douglas and Clayton Campbell, Wayne McCarty and Carolyn Hargrove, Jack Ponder and Helen Prothro, Bert De Loach and Joan Parker, Herman De Loach and Lorraine McClendon, Richard Fleming and Bonnie Albritton, Jerry Richards and Monita Ann Ritter, Tommy Trawick and Mary Gertrude Rodriguez, Russell Bourland and Nancy Golson, Bill Worley and Martha MacDonald, Harry Chappel and Ann Atkinson, George Howe and Joan Wood, Jack Smith and Aline Perry, Paul Davey and Betty Bennett.

Stags present were: Willoughby Thomas, Joe Monroe, Jack Kimball, Jerry Dumas, "Buck" Corbin, Wesley Liner, Raymond Beasley, Jerry Reid and Richard Moore.

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MARRIED AT GRACE CHURCH

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Dalton Freeman, Jr., are seen leaving Grace Episcopal Church following their marriage December 26. Mrs. Freeman was formerly Miss Margaret Frances Hunt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Hunt, of this city.

MISS M'HENRY'S ENGAGEMENT TO MR. GRANT THOMAS IS FORMALLY ANNOUNCED TODAY

Presaging a prominent nuptial event is the announcement made today by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Holbrook McHenry of the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Cornelia, to Mr. Grant Thomas of Charleston, West Virginia, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thomas of Akron, Ohio.

The wedding will take place at the First Methodist Church on Sunday afternoon, January the twenty-fifth.

Miss McHenry, a great favorite socially, is a graduate of Randolph Macon College, Lynchburg, Va., where she was a member of Omicron ... sorority. She is also a member of Delta Beta Sigma.

Mr. Thomas received his law degree at the University of Mississippi. He is now holding a legal position with the United Carbon Company in Charleston where the young coouple will reside following their marriage.

W. B. Awl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Awl, left with his family yesterday to return to Pensacola, Fla., where he is stationed with the border patrol.

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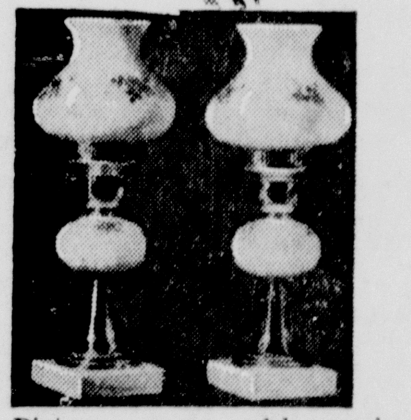

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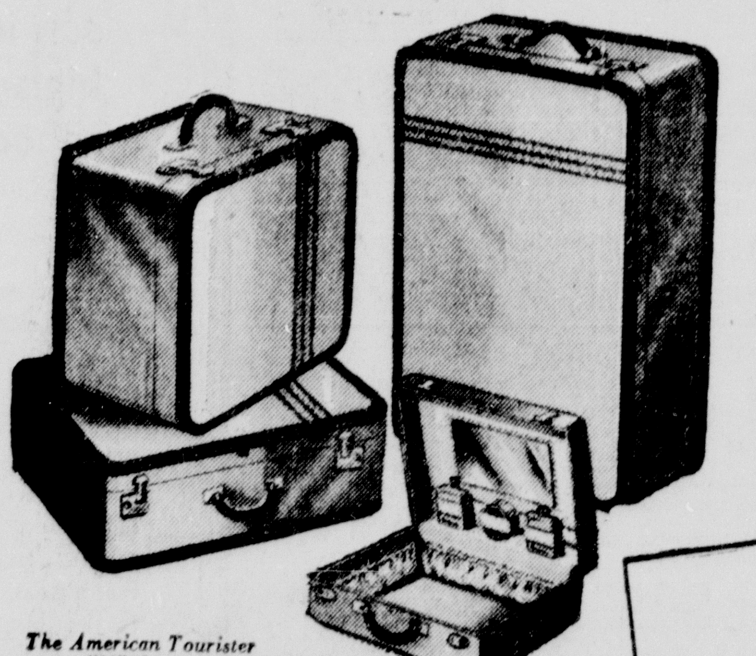

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Never in the history of the local chapter of Delta Beta Sigma sorority has a Christmas ball been as gay and as colorful as this year. The terrace of the Frances hotel was in holiday attire for this brilliant affair with holly boughs and pine branches in the background and colored electrics playing continuously on the scene.

The grand march, confined to sorority members and their "dates," the pledges and alumni, was one of the highlights of the evening. The sorority members were in beautiful evening attire with orchids worn in the hair, the favorite flower of the evening. The young men all wore tuxedos with boutonnaires.

During an intermission a corsage of orchids was presented to Miss Martha McDonald, sorority president, in recognition for the splendid work accomplished during the year 1947. Mr. James Swink, the financial advisor, was asked to take a bow.

All sorority members and their "dates" were entertained, following the dance at the home of Miss Polly Jean Phelps. Supper was served from a spacious buffet in the dining room to:

Miss Martha McDonald and "Bo" Phillips, Miss Jerry Platt and Charles Reid, Jr., Miss Mary Coats and Graham Hughes, Miss Lydia Jarman and Sam Brothers, Miss Joy James and "Buck" McElroy, Miss Bettye Faye Stovall and Jack Black, Miss Billie Harper and Foster Bond, Miss Agnes Jones and Robert Jones, Miss Betty Bennett and Paul Davey, Miss Sharon Anderson and Fred Landry, Miss Anna Lois Sackett and Max Funderburk, Miss Jo Ann Ransom and Aylmer Montgomery, Jr., Miss Mary Wilton McHenry and Henry Serex, Miss Felicia Mallett and Midshipman Daniel Bradford, Miss Nancy Sue Beasley and Joe Messena, Miss Bootsie Buce and Harvey Aden.

Miss Betty Ann Cruthirds and Charles Guerriero, Miss Sara Smith and Charles Wood, Miss Marianne Baugh and Carl Thompson, Miss Patricia Grant and Bad Lyons, Miss Sue Ann Windes and Speed Bancroft, Miss Alice O'Kelly and Jack Reitzel, Miss Ann Braun and J. W. Richards, Miss Clayton Campbell and Wayne Moore, Miss Nancy Golson and Jerry Reed, Miss Jane Steed and Ran Phillips, Miss Jane Tidwell and James Leake, Miss Loraine McClendon and Herman DeLoach, Miss Peggy Newcomer and Wayne McCarty, Miss Pat Wadley and "Chuck" Anders, Miss Ginger Coats and Billy Bruce, Miss Joan Parker and Harold Woods, Miss Alice Perry and Jack Smith, Miss Helen Prothro and Jack Ponder, Miss Jean Phelps and Henry Guerriero, Jr., Miss Shirley Bacon and Joe Lasuzzo, Miss Sue Henderson and Odie Lee, Miss Betty Jo Shlenker and Jeff Dollar, Miss Beverly Hatchell and Dick Pipes, Miss Ann Menefee and Jerry Hightower, Miss Maurine Linquist and Reynolds McWilliams, Miss Beverly Martin and Morris Blumenthal.

Miss Joan Snelling and T. O. Bancroft, Jr., Miss Jane Birdsong and Francis Varino, Miss Nora Marie Lennon and Jack Inabnet, Miss Joan Meredith and Glen Brown, Miss Jackie Walker and Jack Fowler, Miss Tommie Eaves and C. D. Oakley, Miss Mary Sue Smith and Floyd Voorhees, Miss Jean Gentry and Fred Huenfelt, Miss Dorothy Ann Mitchell and Jack Britton, Miss Shelby Meek and Gene Hodges, Miss Martha Pritchard and Brooks Dawkins, Miss Camille Hancock and Dilly Bernhardt, Mr. and Mrs. John Dutchcarr, Miss Sara Ellen Bruno and George Lester, Jr., Miss Marguerite Lamkin and Peyton Parker, Miss Libby Butler and K. D. Hayes, Miss Betty Marcella and Max Dillingham, Miss Mary Jackson and Rusty Eason, Miss Mary Louise Guerriero and Guy Jones, Miss Libby Siegle and Bobby Wilson.

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BRIDAL ATTENDANTS IN KELLOGG-NORMANN NUPTIALS

When Miss Rhoda Kellogg walked to the altar to become the bride of Mr. David Normann, she was attended by four beautiful attendants who wore period gowns of leaf green velvet with matching halo hats and carrying arm bouquets of pink Briercliff roses. The flower girl, Suzonne Kellogg wore a white satin gown, an exact replica of the bride's gown. Reading from left to right, they are: Miss Lucy Barrett, Suzonne Kellogg, Mrs. Richard Faust, the bride's sister, Miss June Lewis and Miss Helen Normann.

DELTA SIGMA FRATERNITY HOSTS AT ANNUAL CHRISTMAS BALL AND EARLY MORNING BREAKFAST

"Deck the halls with boughs of holly." This line from the old English Christmas carol certainly rang true on the 26th when Beta Alpha Chapter of the Delta Sigma fraternity entertained with its annual Christmas ball on the terrace of the Frances hotel. The ballroom was decorated with Christmas ornaments as well as the fraternity colors. Over the orchestra hung the crest of the Delta Sigma fraternity.

During the grand march, colored floodlights played on the colorful throng. The guests were all in beautiful evening models and the young men all wore tuxedos.

After intermission the president, Mr. T. O. Bancroft, Jr., took the opportunity to present the outgoing sponsors, Miss Libby Butler and Miss Joan Meredith; the outgoing Miss Delta Sigma, Miss Marguerite Lamkin and the outgoing sweetheart, Miss Lydia Jarman with gifts. The new sponsors, Miss Mary Wilton McHenry, Miss Mary Coats, Miss Jerry Platt, and Miss Monita Ann Ritter; the new Miss Delta Sigma, Miss Libby Butler, and the sweetheart, Miss Joan Snelling, were presented with lovely bouquets of white carnations. Also the fraternity mothers, Mrs. Clark Butler and Mrs. Pauline McCrary were presented with corsages of white carnations.

Before the ball, the annual Delta Beta Sigma-Delta Sigma banquet was held with Mr. Charles Reid, Jr., acting as toastmaster.

After the dance members and their dates attended a breakfast given by the Delta Sigma sponsors at the home of Miss Joan Snelling. Members and their dates were: Dan Bivins and Miss Nancy Golson, Speed Bancroft and Miss Sue Ann Windes, John Reardon and Miss Sara Ritter, Sam Hightower and Miss Ann Merriman, Wayne Woods and Miss Frances Black, Bobby Joe Wallace and Miss Shelby Meek, Bill Rhodes and Miss Helen Prothro, Dick Rowe and Miss Katherine Guerriero, Jerry Hightower and Miss Ann Menefee, Harold Woods and Miss Agnes Jones, Ran Phillips and Miss Jane Steed, Harry Prophit and Miss Monita Ann Ritter, John Sims and Miss Maurine Linquist, Robert Jones and Miss Billie Harper, Ralph King and Miss Carol Emerson, Henry Fergus and Miss Beverly Martin, Bill Crowe and Miss Frances Ritter, Mickie Serex and Miss Mary Wilton McHenry, John Culpepper and Miss Evelyn Steen, Peyton Parker and Miss Joan Parker, Toby Bancroft and Miss Joan Snelling, Roy Hicks and Miss Tommie Sue Eves, Lynn Meredith and Miss Gwin Walker, K. D. Hayes and Miss Libby Butler, Lloyd Voorhees and Miss Mary Sue Smith, Donald Johnson and Miss Doris Rae Jones, Graham Hughes and Miss Mary Coates, Charles Reid and Miss Jerry Platt, Sam Brothers and Miss Lydia Jarman, D. C. Bernhardt and Miss Camile Hancock, Alfred Hale and Miss Betty Johnson, Harvy Aden and Miss Bootsie Buce, Jack Rickerson and Miss Arden Girault, Dick Pipes and Miss Beverly Hatchell, Frank Petit and Miss Jackie White, Frank Russell and Miss Pat Grant, Bud Marx and Miss Polly Jean Phelps, Donald Bussey and Miss Martha Clayton Sparks, Dent Tisdale and Miss Anna Joyce Eyre, George Lester and Miss Sara Ellen Bruno, Jack Herrick and Miss Marguerite Lamkin, Herbert Valley and Miss Jo Ann Roberts.

Stags were: Joe Lusuzzo, Johnnie Johnson, Charles Swain, Standley Passman, Gladden Walters, Louis Craig, Grady Merriman, Jimmy Phelps, Clerence Barton, Aubry Young, William Bowles, Jake Rubin, Joe Durrett, John Bivins, Barlow Inabnet and John Harper.

One of the Gala events of the holiday season was the Alpha Sigma chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Christmas dance in the ballroom of the Virginia Hotel. Large letters of Beta Sigma Phi hung at one end of the ballroom. Balloons fluttered over head. A yellow candle decked with mistletoe was the center piece for each table.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Faulks, president, and Miss Mary Louise Lanier welcomed the guests. Music was by Collie Fontana's orchestra. Miss Mary Louise Marine's floor show staged a clever skit.

MISS ROTHERMEL BECOMES THE BRIDE OF MR. R. L. WEATHERLY IN DOUBLE RING CEREMONY

Rich greenery of the yuletide and artistic arrangements of white gladioli and Marconi daisies were employed effectively to form a beautiful background for the marriage of Miss Nancy Ellen Rothermel, daughter of Mr. and M. . William Lloyd Rothermel, and Mr. Hubert Clark Weatherly, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Weatherly, on Monday morning, December 22 at 10 o'clock.

Grace Episcopal Church was the scene of the wedding in which members of two well known families of Monroe were united in an impressive double-ring ceremony with the Reverend Edward Farren Hayward, rector, officiating.

The sun shining through the stained glass windows cast a radiance over the altar and down the aisle. Southern smilax encircled th chancel rail and banked the low window sills and the altar. Cathedral tapers burned in tall wrought iron candelabra, and floor length standards held white gladioli and daisies.

While the guests were being seated, nuptial music, including several of the bride's favorite selections, was played by the organist, Mr. Lowery Jefferson, who also accompanied the soloist, Mr. James McBeth, who sang in beautiful voice "Ave Maria." The organist played the traditional wedding marches for the processional and recessional.

The bride's mother wore a gray wool tailleur with a small black hat trimmed in feathers and black accessories. Her corsage was of orchids. The bridegroom's mother also chose a gray tailored suit with which she wore a black hat and matching accessories and an orchid corsage.

The bride's maid of honor, her only attendant, was Miss Margaret Shields, who wore a soft gray jersey model fashioned with a long bodice, sequin trimmed, and long tight fitting sleeves. It was joined to a semi-ballerina skirt. Her hat was a flattering off-the-face winter white trimmed with a white feather, and she carried an old fashioned bouquet of pink carnations and heather from which fell pink satin streamers in which small blossoms were caught.

Serving the groom as his best man was Mr. Clark Raby of Monroe.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a distinctive crepe gown of aqua blue that enhanced her blonde loveliness. The long waist was designed with a circular neckline and long closely fitting sleeves that were marked with small satin bows in the shade of her dress. The quaint bustle back had an additional interesting note in the larger satin bow that was placed a few inches above the hem line. Her hat was a beautiful creation of tulle and roses in soft shades of pink. She carried a white prayer book covered with white carnations and showered with white satin streamers and valley lilies.

The only ornament which the bride wore was a strand of pearls, a gift from her brother, Mr. William Rothermel. For something old she chose a rare handkerchief of fine mull and handmade lace which belonged to her great aunt, and she carried out the rest of the tradition of something new, something borrowed, and something blue. For good luck, she wore a penny in her shoe.

For traveling the bride changed her gown for a smart wine-colored tailleur fashioned with a short jacket and a ballerina skirt. She wore a small black feather hat and black accessories.

After a short honeymoon the couple are making their home in Baton Rouge where the groom is a student at Louisiana State University.

Mrs. Weatherly is a graduate of Ouachita Parish High School and she attended Northeast Junior College. She is a pledge of Beta Sigma Phi, professional sorority.

Mr. Weatherly graduated from Jefferson Military Academy and he attended Louisiana Polytechnic Institute. Following his service in the United States Navy, he matriculated at Louisiana State University where he is presently majoring in law. He holds membership in Sigma Phi Omega, social fraternity.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding were the bride's brother, Mr. William Rothermel, student at the University of Texas, and her mother's sister and brother, Miss Sallie Barnett, and Mr. Robert Barnett, both of Birmingham, Ala.

Members of the M. R. Hare family were reunited this Christmas when their son, Leon Hare, who is a student in Baylor University, of Waco, Tex., and daughter, Mrs. James Gates, of Dallas, Tex., spent the holidays at home. Also present was the granddaughter, Ruth Gates.

Johnnie S. Elbert

Our Annual January Clearance Sale

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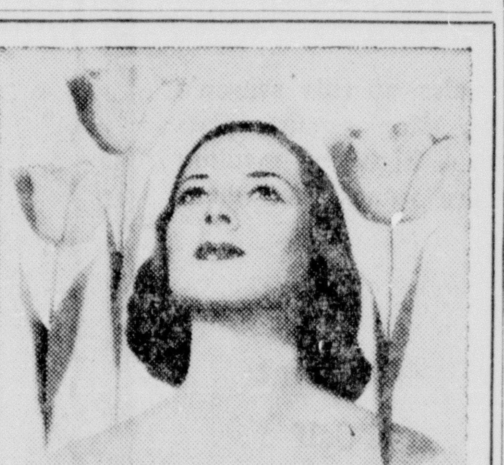

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Mrs. A. R. Doughty Gives Interesting Book Review

Members of the Welcome Branch of the Twentieth Century Book Club met in the home of Mrs. J. Norman Coon, with Mrs. W. B. Wheelis and Mrs. Cyril Yancy as co-hostesses.

After a short business session the guests were introduced as follows: Mrs. A. D. Tisdale, Mrs. C. C. Rainwater, Mrs. C. T. Long, Mrs. L. G. Banta, Mrs. Henry Marston, Mrs. Jones J. Dunham, Mrs. Dan Devlin, Mrs. Ted Bankston and all the members of the Music Guild. In keeping with the Christmas season, the Music Guild entertained with several beautiful carols and piano numbers.

Mrs. Henson Coon introduced Mrs. A. R. Doughty who gave an interesting book review entitled "Adventures of a Ballad Hunter" by John A. Lomax. John Lomax is America's foremost ballad hunter. Where other men collect sheet music, books, prints, or dollars, he has collected the living folk song, naked on the lips of the singer. The entire book is made up of his different experiences traveling all over the United States collecting the ballads from Negro singers, in prisons, in the cotton fields, from gypsies, from cowboys, and from all people in all walks of life.

The book is the story of his life. It is told as simply a folk ballad. As one reads he knows the author. John Lomax led a happy life doing what he liked to do. Even though he met with hardship and disappointment, he continued his collecting and his book, "Adventures of a Ballad Hunter," is a tribute to his efforts. Mrs. Doughty urged each member to read the book for amusing and educational reading.

Mrs. Dean Selig then entertained the club with a piano solo, "Silent Night, Holy Night."

Mrs. A. D. Tisdale gave a brief and interesting discussion on the United Nations.

During the social hour all the old familiar Christmas music was rendered and delicious rerfreshments served to:

Mrs. F. E. Black, Mrs. H. V. Collins, Mrs. Henson Coon, Mrs. F. W. Dawson, Mrs. A. R. Doughty, Mrs. R. R. Griffith, Mrs. A. S. Gunter, Mrs. J. G. Hicks, Mrs. H. D. Holmes, Mrs. Robert Irby, Mrs. E. E. Lawson, Mrs. W. D. McGee, Jr., Mrs. Morris Miller, Mrs. J. E. McConnell, Mrs. Leola Nixon, Mrs. J. D. Petty, Mrs. George Phebus, Mrs. T. H. Scott, Mrs. Zeil Smith, Mrs. A. J. Speer, Mrs. A. C. Warner, Mrs. J. R. White, Mrs. Richard Whitehurst, Mrs. E. J. Whitman, Mrs. A. D. Tisdale, Mrs. C. C. Rainwater, Mrs. C. L. Long, Mrs. L. G. Banta, Mrs. Milton Coalson, Mrs. L. L. Walters, Mrs. W. W. Watson, Mrs. R. W. Cretney, Mrs. H. M. James, Mrs. Cecil Heil, Mrs. E. W. Cruse, Mrs. Paul Newman, Mrs. J. E. Jarman, Mrs. Raymond Spence, Mrs. Willis Hopkins, Mrs. Henry Marston, Mrs. Jones Dunham, Mrs. Dan Devlin and Mrs. Ted Bankston.

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The annual Christmas party at the Lambda Sigma Chi Juniors was held at the home of Miss Linda Hair.

Small corsages of holly were presented each member upon arrival. Gifts to be exchanged were placed under a beautifully-decorated tree. The serving of delicious refreshments climaxed the gay and festive evening.

DECEMBER BRIDE

Mrs. Lars Gus Johnson, bride of recent date, who was the former Miss Julia Judd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Allen Judd, of Mangham, La.

MISS JULIA JUDD BECOMES THE BRIDE OF MR. JOHNSON AT MINDEN BAPTIST CHURCH

The First Baptist Church in Minden, La., was the scene of an impressively performed wedding ceremony December 24 when Miss Julia Judd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Allen Judd of Mangham, La., became the bride of Mr. Lars Gus Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson of Minden, La., with the Rev. Stanley E. Wilkes, pastor of the Broadmoor Baptist Church of Shreveport, officiating. During the ceremony the organist, Mrs. B. F. Turner, rendered Bach's "Arioso." Mrs. Turner also played Rubenstein's "Angelie Reve," while Miss Mary Bess Bolton and Mrs. Thomas G. Judd in lovely white wool ballerina models featuring scalloped necklines outlined with gold Sequins, lighted the candles placed in floor candelabra flanking the aisles and grouped in the background of the altar in the midst of white gladioli and ferns.

The organist rendered a prenuptial concert featuring "Calm As the Night" by Bohn, "Etude in E Major" by Chopin, and "To a Wild Rose" by MacDowell.

The Minden High School a cappella choir, attired in white, sang from the balcony Moore's "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms."

Mrs. Turner accompanied Robert C. Helmich, student in the music department at Baylor University, who sang "The Sunshine of Your Smile" and "Because."

The traditional wedding marches were rendered.

Miss Virginia McKinley of Minden, maid of honor, was attired in a gold-trimmed white moire taffeta suit with matching hat and carried a bouquet of gold and white gladioli on a frame of ruffled gold net tied with gold satin streamers.

Jeff Robinson, three-year-old nephew of the groom and son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Robinson, served as ring bearer. He carried the rings on a white satin pillow.

Gloria West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. West of Minden, wore a beautiful white faille model with gold trim similar to the ballerina dresses worn by the candle lighters, served as flower girl.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore an advanced spring model of brocaded satin featuring a coat with peplum and full flared skirt. She wore a white off-the-face hat trimmed with veiling and a single large velvet rose set in ostrich tips. She carried a bouquet of white gladioli and orchids outlined with ruffled net and satin streamers.

J. H. Johnson, Jr., of Shreveport, La., served his brother as best man. The ushers were C. E. Robinson, J. C. Agan and Jesse L. Miller of Minden, and the bride's brother, Thomas G. Judd of Alexandria.

Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Judd were host and hostess at a reception. Mrs. J. E. Knighton welcomed guests at the door.

The bride's table, overlaid with white cutwork linen, was centered with a three-tiered wedding cake which was topped with wedding bells and embossed with white roses. Looped at each corner of the table and trailing to the cake were streamers of lace fern, white chrysanthemums and gypsophlia. Tall white tapers in crystal candelabra furnished light.

Mrs. Jesse L. Miller served the wedding cake and Mrs. H. O. West presided at the punch bowl. Presiding at the bride's book was Mrs. Linda Pardue, aunt of the bride.

Mrs. Johnson wore for traveling a black gabardine tailleur with small black jet trimmed hat and orchid corsage. After a brief wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will be at home in Fort Worth, Tex.

The bride attended Northeast Junior College in Monroe and received her bachelor of music degree from Louisiana State University. She was a member of the Delta Oricron music society and the Phi Kappa Phi scholastic sorority. During the past five years she served as vocal music supervisor of Minden grammar and high schools.

The bridegroom served for five years in the United States army with the engineers in Alaska and the South Pacific. At present he is a student of music at the Southwestern Theological Seminary at Ft. Worth.

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Miss Coldwell Is The Bride Of Mr. Ward

Of interest to a wide circle of friends was the marriage of Miss Virginia Coldwell, daughter of Mrs. J. F. Russell, and Mr. Willis Ward, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ward, of Natchitoches, at five o'clock, December 23, in the First Methodist Church in Natchitoches.

The church was beautifully decorated with Christmas greens and salmon pink gladioli and white carnations. The candles on the alter were lighted by the bride's sister, Miss Marjie Coldwell. Rev. D. W. Poole officiated at the double-ring ceremony which was witnessed by relatives and close friends.

Miss Adelyn Coldwell, of Dallas, was her sister's only attendant. She wore a green garbadine model with brown accessories and corsage of white gladioli.

Mr. Clyde Bostick, of Natchitoches, served in the capacity of best man.

The bride wore a beautiful pink garbadine model with brown accessories. Her corsage was of split white carnations and tuberoses.

Mrs. Ward was graduated from Ouachita Parish High School, Northeast Junior College, Northwestern State College and is now a member of the faculty of the Calhoun High School.

Mr. Ward was graduated from the Natchitoches High School and served for two years in the army air forces. He is at present a student of aviation at Northwestern State College.

Those attending the wedding from West Monroe were: Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Russell, Miss Maxine Whitaker and Miss Marjie Coldwell.

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Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Cook, Jr., of Miami, Fla., are currently visiting the Duncan Cooks, Sr., of 506 McKinley avenue.

Readings Will Be Held For Little Theatre Play

Readings for the next Little Theatre play of the season, "The Devil's Disciple," by George Bernard Shaw, will take place this afternoon, at 2:30 p. m., at Georgia Tucker School auditorium, and tomorrow evening at 8:00 p. m., at the same place, according to Kay Crandall Causey, director.

The cast calls for ten men in speaking rolls which range from leading parts, to those which appear in only one act and have only a dozen lines, and which have an age range from 22 to 60. The parts cover a wide range of personalities as well, from the 22-year-old moronic son, to the 30-year-old devil-may care young man who gives the play its name, to a middle-aged lawyer, chaplain, horse-trader, and farmer, and include as well an important role for a pastor of forty, a magnificent role for a mature man as General Burgoyne, another mature role as Major Swindon, and a young British Sergeant. Besides this, half a dozen soldiers are needed as walk-ons.

The women's roles are three, and include a 17-year-old girl, a young woman of 25 or so, and a middle-aged woman, as well as two women who are walk-ons.

Not only should everyone who is interested in appearing in the play, WHETHER OR NOT THEY HAVE HAD EXPER. ICE, come out this afternoon or tomorrow, but all those who would like to work on costumes, wigs, furniture, props, and other crews should also report at the same time. Mrs. Causey urged no one to stay out of a feeling that he or she is afraid of "try-outs," or has no experience, or doesn't think he has ability. The person of ability is usually the one who thinks he has none, and the readings are conducted simply by sitting around in a friendly circle, with everyone holding a book and reading some part, so that there is no feeling of being up before an audience, or of giving "a performance," and any fear vanishes immediately with everyone.

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Miss Roberts Is The Bride Of Mr. Anders

The wedding of Miss Geneva Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Roberts of Chatham, and Mr. Joyce Anders, son of Mrs. J. L. Anders, also of Chatham, was solemnized in Jonesboro, Saturday, December 27, with Rev. J. W. Buckner, officiating. The double-ring ceremeny was witnessed by only a few intimate friends of the bride and groom.

The bride wore a lovely pastel colored, fitted, double-breasted suit with accessories of aqua and brown. She wore a corsage of white carnations. The bride's only attendant, Miss Dot Tullos, wore a dusty-rose colored suit and brown accessories. Her corsage was white carnations. Mr. Duvalle Roberts served the groom as best man.

Immediately following the ceremony the couple left for Flordia. Later they will be at home in Chatham.

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$99.50	Barrel chair in chartreuse toille	$59.50
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$89.50	Lounge chair with tufted back. Wine tapestry	$59.50
$89.50	Lounge chair in rose. T-shaped reversible cushion	$59.50
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$84.50	Fan back chair with tufted seat and back. Floral design in green.	$69.50
$79.50	Wing chair upholstered in a wine floral design	$69.50

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FORMERLY		NOW
$69.95	Lounge chair with matching ottoman. Blue velour	$39.50
$62.50	Boudoir chair in solid blue with 8-inch fringe trim	$39.50
$59.95	Occasional chair in wine tapestry. Tufted back. Mhg. frame	$39.50
$59.50	Heirloom maple chair in wine chenille. Pleated flounce	$39.50
$54.95	Fan back chair in red floral design with beige background	$39.50
$54.50	Wing chair in blue floral chintz	$39.50
$49.95	Host chair in beautiful floral cover with red roses on white background	$39.50
$49.50	Wing chair covered in gloshen in Queen Anne Lace design	$39.50
$48.50	Boudoir chair in red floral design with blue background	$39.50

GROUP OF CHAIRS FOR - $29.50

FORMERLY		NOW
$49.50	Pull-up chair in rose. Nail trim. Upholstered arms	$29.50
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The old red and green color theme for Christmas has gone by the boards here in Monroe, insofar as Miss Maible Hood's tea in the Cameo Room of the Virginia Hotel is concerned. Trees of shocking pink, metallic blue and light green hung with shining baubles to match were placed at vantage points. These trees, the essence of artistry, had a delicacy and a subtlety about them never found in the old fashioned variety.

Miss Hood, who has a flair for unique entertainments, employed a pastel theme in every feature of this charming affair, one of the most distinctive of the entire season. The tea was given in honor of her sister, Mrs. R. A. Smith of Boston, who wore a beautiful black velvet model with corsage of gardenias.

Miss Hood wore a garnet crepe model trimmed in garnet velvet roses. Her three sisters assisted in the courtesies. Mrs. J. W. Hightower wore a copper colored moire model and Mrs. Ruth Poimboeuf wore a scarlet taffeta model trimmed in black sequins. Mrs. Clyde Mitchell wore a black crepe model elaborately trimmed in Alencon lace.

One of the lovely pastel colored trees with branches adorned with harmonizing baubles, centered the tea table where Mrs. J. F. Heard, wearing a black sequin trimmed model, presided over the massive silver coffee service. Silver trays, centered with miniature pastel colored trees, were laden with delicacies of every description. These were passed among the guests by Mrs. Joe Coates, Mrs. Delmer Jackson, Mrs. Jewel Wise, Mrs. Amos Hood, Miss Freeda Mickel, Miss Ouida Piner, Miss Alice Baur.

Throughout the receiving hours Mrs. James Caldwell and Mrs. Charles Bennett, accomplished musicians, entertained with classical numbers and accompanied Mrs. J. Norman Coon and Mrs. Harry Holmes whose voices blended beautifully in a medley of songs.

Favors, a distinct feature of this lovely affair, were presented the guests by Miss Amy Hood.

Miss Hood's mother, Mrs. T. L. Hood, who seldom appears at large social affairs due to ill health, was surrounded by old friends who expressed pleasure in seeing her. She was wearing a beautiful corsage of orchids.

Mrs. Howard Carroll, wearing a black velvet model, and Mrs. A. D. Tisdale, wearing a black crepe model trimmed in crimson and green sequins, assisted in receiving.

Mrs. W. C. Feazel, wearing a bronze colored crepe model embroidered in bronze beads, assisted at the silver coffee service.

Noted among the guests calling during the receiving hours were:

Mrs. Earl Coats, Mrs. Jewell Wise, Miss Freeda Mickel, Mrs. Faye Heard, Mrs. Lillie Mae Carroll, Mrs. Katie May Thornhill, Mrs. Johnnie S. Elbert, Miss Ouida Piner, Mrs. Grace Odell, Miss Florence E. Powers, Mr. and Mrs. David Garrett, Miss Bernice Reese, Mrs. D. C. Metcalf, Mrs. Margarette H. Mitchell, Miss Hazel Mitchell, Mrs. C. E. Faulk, Mrs. Kate Morrice, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Cooley, Mrs. Belle G. Oakley, Mr. C. D. Oakley, Mr. Harry Oliver, Mrs. Blanche Oliver, Mrs. Herbert Rinehart, Mrs. Addie Lou Juneman, Mrs. Gladys Miles, Mrs. Lucille Mathis, Mrs. Arline R. Dresser, Mrs. Inas Guin, Mrs. Tina Clark, Mrs. Alieen Russell, Mrs. Elvie Grant, Mrs. D. F. Dennis, Mrs. Annie M. Lee, Mrs. Effie Allen, Mrs. Vera Whitfield, Mrs. W. L. Mitchell.

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NOVEL PROGRAM FEATURES YULETIDE MEETING OF THE SECRETARIES INTERNATIONAL

With the beautiful story of the first Christmas, found in the second chapter of the Gospel of St. John, Miss Grace King, serving as mistress of ceremonies, opened the program at the annual Christmas party of the Monroe Chapter of Secretaries International held at the local Recreation Center.

Using the novel idea of make-believe flights by plane to foreign lands, Grace told of how Christmas is celebrated in these countries. The "passengers" were surprised and delighted when told to fasten their safety belts (strips of crepe paper—red and green—fastened to the arms of chairs arranged as seats in an airplane). The "stewardess," Lois Hollingsworth, wearing a green stewardess cap, passed chewing gum to "relieve the atmospheric pressure as the plane gained altitude."

Miss King, the "pilot" took her passengers first to France, where they learned of the custom of the French children of placing wooden shoes on their doorsteps instead of hanging their stockings as do the children of this country. To add authenticity to the scene, Miss King sang "Silent Night" in French, accompanied on the piano by Mr. Max Kulcke.

After leaving France, the next stop was in Germany. The chapter was very fortunate in having a first-hand account of the German Christmas from Mr. Max Kulcke who is a native of Germany. He told of the Christmas of the days of his childhood when all the family, including sons and daughters, grandsons and granddaughters, nieces and nephews, gather at Grandma's house for the big occasion on Christmas eve. The tree was placed in the center of the table and the small toys and gifts, fruits and nuts were placed around it. The children were allowed only a peek at the gifts before the big meal, but afterward they were given out and opened. These parties lasted often until midnight, after which all retired to their respective homes. Mrs. Ed Hayward, also a native of Germany, sang the original "Silent Night" in German in very fine voice.

From Germany the "pilot" guided his ship to England for a Christmas more like that of the United States. England, the home of Scrooge and Tiny Tim, and "God Rest Ye Merry Gentlemen," has given the U. S. many of their Christmas customs, such as plum pudding and mince pie. The passengers joined the pilot in singing England's most famed Christmas carol, "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing."

Leaving England, the girls were "flown" to Italy for a short visit. Italy, the center of the Roman Catholic Church, is known as one of the most religious countries and a, such, observes Christmas in a very reverent manner, with many elaborate church activities. Miss King sang "Adeste Fidelis" in Latin, as this carol is included in nearly all Catholic services at Christmas time.

From Italy the "plane made the long flight back across the Atlantic to that Latin American neighbor, Mexico, which observes Christmas in a fashion unlike any other country. Building their festivities around the Nativity, they too have quite a religious aspect in their celebration of Christmas. On the lighter side, however, is the "pinata," which is observed by the children. An earthenware container filled with toys and goodies of all kinds is suspended from the ceiling. Each child, in turn, is blindfolded and allowed to strike at the jug three times with a club to try to break it and release the gifts. Only after the container has been broken are they allowed to have the gifts. Adding a realistic touch to the program, a duplication of the Mexican "pinata" was conducted. An earthenware jug filled with gifts and fruits was placed on a small table. Mrs. Hayward and Miss Vicci Bennett were awarded prizes for breaking the "pinata" at the first try. The remaining gifts were disposed of by playing Bingo. Mr. Max Kulcke and Miss Bennett were high scorers, each winning two of the prizes. Miss King then sang "Silent Night" in Spanish, and then guided her passengers safely back to their own hometown, Monroe, Louisiana, U. S. A.

Gifts were then exchanged and admired while Christmas carols played softly in the background.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following guests and members: Mrs. Ed Hayward, Mr. Max Kulcke, Miss Frances Cubley, Miss Juanita George, Mrs. Mae Modes, Mrs. Lena Wallace, Miss Marguerite Lindle, Miss Alice Chilton, Miss Helen McDaniel, Miss Helen Youngblood, Mrs. Lois Hollingsworth, Mrs. Jeanne Harden, Mrs. Johnetta Willhite, Miss Vicci Bennett, Mrs. Marion Tetreau, and Miss Grace King.

All the credit and praise for the novel program and the carols beautifully sung in so many different languages goes to Miss King, one of the chapter's newest members. Miss King, who is very talented in the line of entertainment, has given the chapter one of its most interesting and unforgettable Christmas parties. The special guests, Mrs. Ed Hayward and Mr. Max Kulcke, were very welcome, and added the realistic touch to the setting. The chapter hopes they will visit again.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Cook, Jr., of Coral Gables, Fla., are enjoying a visit with Mrs. Cook's parents in this city.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Ellison Tripp, Jr., whose wedding took place recently at the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Tripp was formerly Miss Rhoda Katherine Goza, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hugh Goza.

Purely Personal

With January really on its way and the days growing perceptibly longer in spite of the strengthening cold, thoughts and plans point springward. Most of us are through looking backward and like better the forward-looking face of old Janus. It's time to begin doing some of the many things we have put off "until after the holidays."

Perhaps it's all a part of the way we rush the seasons now but time was when January was the "dead of winter." Coats were snugly buttoned, hoods tied firmly under little chins or stocking caps pulled well down over ears and pigtails. It was really winter. The calendar said so and the weather man backed it up. Now January is the time for new flowered hats, cruises, play clothes. We saw a shop window filled with new spring hats the other day and another shop was showing new spring prints. Christmas and New Year's is now past and we are headed for spring so fast it may be here any minute now. Or will it?

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One of the nicest things about the traditional "open house" during the holidays is the opportunity afforded to meet interesting people such as Hillyer Speed Lamkin who has just returned from Paris, France, where he spent six months in training for foreign diplomatic service under Ambassador Jefferson Caffery. He told us, reluctantly about his work and hours of play and believe me the story he unfolded was one of pure enchantment. Each statement, however, was punctuated with the terse remark, "this is not for publication." Realizing that Monroe is a small town and the residents as a whole are deeply interested in the lives of young men and women, at home or abroad, we feel sure our readers will be delighted to know that a young man, born and reared in Monroe, is obtaining the proper background for foreign diplomatic service and will be prepared when the time comes.

Mr. Lamkin spent eight hours a day in the American embassy. He heard all the debates in the Chambre des Deputies and worked with the Red Cross during the crisis period when there was no subway service. Arriving in Paris last June, Mr. Lamkin was immediately plunged into a veritable whirlwind of social activity such as the average American never dreams of. He was introduced to Paris society by Madame Vesmitch, grandmother of the Duchess de Montmorency. He was entertained by the Duke and Duchess of Windsor and was the guest of Mrs. Beatrice Cartwright at Cap d' Antibes on the Riviera.

Mr. Lamkin spoke glowingly of London where he was the guest of Lady Michelham whom he met at the British embassy in Paris. An interesting week-end was spent at Oxford where he was the guest of David Herbert, Viscount Pembroke, at Wilton, one of the really great homes of England. Mr. Lamkin couldn't find suitable words to describe this home with its fabulous furnishings and priceless paintings by the world's great artists. Meeting the Duchess of Kent in this home was one of the most pleasant things experienced during Mr. Lamkin's visit in London.

One of the highlights was his reunion with two Monroe friends, Phanor Perot, Jr., and Thomas Wright, who were making a tour of England. They all met at the Claridge and later were entertained by Lady George Cholmondeley.

Later Mr. Lamkin returned to Paris where he was joined by George Lodge, a former classmate at Harvard University, and son of Senator Henry Cabot Lodge. Together they toured the Chateau of the Loive and met many interesting people.

Mr. Lamkin met James A. Noe, Jr., quite by accident in Paris last month. Mr. Noe had just completed a world tour and was en route home for Christmas. It was his contact with a friend from home that decided Mr. Lamkin to engage passage on the Queen Mary and sail for America. He surprised his family by arriving in New York City just before Christmas. In Washington, where he spent a few days, he was the guest of Mrs. George Mesta, one of the most noted hostesses in capital society. It was Mrs. Mesta who entertained with one of the most brilliant balls in the nation's capitol last winter. It was in honor of Margaret Truman and pictures, including Mr. Lamkin who was Mrs. Mesta's guest, appeared in Look Magazine. It was a pleasant experience for Mr. Lamkin to meet President and Mrs. Truman and daughter Margaret Truman at the luncheon Mrs. Mesta gave while he was her guest in Washington.

Mr. Lamkin will leave in a few days for Cambridge, Mass., to complete his course of study at Harvard University.

Another person we enjoyed meeting at the various informal affairs marking the holiday season was Mrs. Alfred Bauer, the former Lelia Dean Frazier. It was nice also to meet her husband who was a commander in the U. S. navy during the war. They met in Washington where she was a lieutenant in the Waves and was discharged at the close of the war with the rank of lieutenant commander. Mrs. Bauer spoke of life in Washington and regretted the change that made it necessary to leave the place where so many happy moments were spent. Mr. Bauer spent most of the time while in Monroe hunting and golfing but even so he found time to enjoy the hospitality extended by Mrs. Bauer's old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Monk who reside in one of the beautiful old plantation homes in South Louisiana, made a flying visit to Monroe last week for the sole purpose of enjoying the festivities in homes noted for gracious hospitality. Their visit was short so they crowded all the pleasure possible into the fleeting hours. A buffet supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Sperry highlighted their visit. Many of Mr. Monk's old friends were there and reminiscing was in order. Mr. Monk's father, Dr. M. Monk, was pastor of the First Methodist Church in this city for many years.

"The best laid plans of mice of men often go astray." Miss Jo Ann Biedenharn fully realized this when a telephone message from a classmate at the Louisiana State University telephoned her that she would be unable to be her house guest as planned as her automobile burned up. It was parked in front of her home with everything in readiness for departure. Some one evidently, driving by toss a lighted cigarette into the car and instantly it was in flames.

We cannot go forward into the new year without a tribute to Mrs. Meyer Glazer who labored overtime to make the world a better place for crippled children. To her goes most of the credit for the gifts bestowed upon the children under the care of the Crippled Children's society of Ouachita parish. She personally visited the merchants and asked for a donation either of toys or money and because she was so sincere in her request and so eager to make these youngsters happy not a single merchant refused to cooperate. Mrs. Glazer is by physical standards a small woman but by spiritual ones she is a giantess. She works dynamically and with selfless devotion for others.

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PARKVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH
Temporarily Meeting In Georgia Tucker School
405 Stubbs Avenue
Rev. Colon P. Coaker, Pastor

Parkview Baptist Church extends a cordial invitation to you to worship with us Sunday. The hours of service are:

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:50 a. m.
B. T. U., 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.

At the morning service our pastor will preach on the subject, "A Christian Refuge for 1948," and at the evening service his subject will be, "The Second Coming of Christ." Regular mid-week prayer service on Wednesday evening at 7:30.

At the close of the morning service on Sunday the church will observe our Lord's Supper and all members are requested to include this service in your plans for the day.

FAITH BAPTIST CHURCH
Jackson At Orange
James C. Houston, Pastor
Harry Roberts, Chorister

Let us begin the new year right now with church attendance. We hope to find every Sunday school member in his place Sunday. Everyone is invited to worship with us.

Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 11 a .m.
B. T. U. and Brotherhood, 7 p. m.
Preaching service, 8 p. m.
W. M. U. and Sunbeam, 2:30 p. m. Tuesday at church.
Mid-week prayer service, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

The Lord's Supper will be administered Sunday.

"We welcome you with us Sunday."

GOOD HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
R. F. D. No. 1, West Monroe
Homer R. Spence, Pastor

If you have no regular place of worship and live in the vicinity of this church we offer you a cordial invitation to worship with us. If you are adrift without Christ or hope in the world we offer to you loving confidence. The quiet countryside sanctuary is where He holds forth.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.; Training Union and Brotherhood, 6:45 p. m.; worship, 7:45 p. m.

The W. M. S. meets in circles Tuesday at 2 p. m. Circle No. 1, Arkansas road, meets with Mrs. J. P. Lindsey; Circle No. 2, Good Hope road, meets with Mrs. Spence; Circle No. 3, White's Ferry road, Mrs. Bennie Sawyer.

Church night will be held for all organizations at the church, January 7 at 7:15 p. m.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH
601 Plum Street
E. L. Averett, D. D., Pastor

Sunday school, 10 a. m.; morning worship, 11 a. m.; Sermon theme: "New Thoughts for the New Year"; B. T. U., 6:45 p. m.; evening worship, 7:30 p. m.; sermon theme: "The Search for God."

The music for both services will be led by Miss Yevon Nichols. A church contending for the truth.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
St. John and Grammont Streets
L. T. Hastings, Pastor
B. B. Fields, Music and Education

"An Ideal Church" will be the subject of the pastor's morning message, keynoting the New Year's work. At the evening hour the subject will be "Ye Have Not Passed This Way Heretofore."

Begin the year 1948 right: Attend all services Sunday, and forget not the Wednesday night prayer meeting. Monthly teachers' and officers' luncheon Wednesday night, 6 o'clock.

Best wishes to all for a happy and prosperous New Year!

COLLEGE PLACE BAPTIST CHURCH
(Two Blocks South of N. J. C.)
301 Sherrouse Avenue
C. S. Cadwallader, Jr., Pastor
D. C. Black, Music Director
Mrs. Mable McDuffie, Educational Secretary

9:45 a. m. the church teaching, Bible school, L. L. Price, Supt.; 10:50 the church worshipping, the pastor will preach from Malachi 4:1-6 "Behold the Day Cometh"; 1:30 p. m. the church listening over KMLB, to the "Crusade Program." 5:30 "Greatest Story Ever Told"; 6:30 The church training: Training Union, C. C. Kornmann, director; Men's Brotherhood with W. L. Jones, president; 7:30 the church evangelizing. The pastor's subject will be "Old Fashioned Faith for the New Day" I Tim. 6:16.

Our motto: "A church established by God with a future as bright as His face."

RIDGE AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. A. T. Mitchell, Pastor
Asa I. Albright, Jr., Choir Director

Ridge Avenue Baptist Church extends a cordial invitation to you to worship with us Sunday. The hours of service are as follows:

Sunday school, 10 a. m.
Morning worship, 11 a. m.
Training Union, 6 p. m.
Brotherhood, 6 p. m.
Evening worship, 7 p. m.

At the morning service our pastor will speak on the subject "Christian Loyalty to the Church of Christ." Members of the W. M. S. will have charge of the evening service. Regular mid-week prayer service on Wednesday evening at 7:15 p. m. You will receive a welcome at Ridge Avenue, "The Friendly Church."

PENIEL BAPTIST CHURCH
Jonesboro Road
Rev. J. H. Keys, Pastor
H. L. King, Sunday School Supt.
Bruce Bairnsfather, B. T. U. Director
Milburn Calhoun, Choir Director

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 10:45 a. m.
Training Union and Brotherhood, 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m.
Mid-week prayer service, Wednesday, 7:00 p. m.

The public is cordially invited to attend all services at Peniel Baptist Church.

CLAIBORNE METHODIST CHURCH
Calhoun Road
F. L. Hearne, Pastor
J. O. Fleming, Church School Supt.

Is there any one comprehensive New Year resolution with which we may gird our souls for this problem-filled year that we are now entering?

Yes, here it is: "I will live at my best for the best." Come poverty or come prosperity; come disaster or come tranquility; come pain or come pleasure, each of us may maintain his own powers and soul-attitude at the best.

And for the best—for more sincere human feeling; for more good will to our nearest neighbors and to nations afar; for more sacrificial participation in the worthiest causes in the world; for more labor for the Kingdom and its Christ. Let us begin now to make this a year of great success of the great opportunities of life.

Services at our church each Sunday begin with the church school, 9:45 a. m. Worship, 10:50 a. m. Youth Fellowship, 6:15 p. m. Evening worship, 7:00 p. m.

W. S. C. S. meets each Monday, 3:00 p. m. Mid-week pray meeting Wednesday, 7:00 p. m.

The month of January is "The Month of Mobilization."

STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH
I. L. Yeager, Pastor
M. B. Hearne, Sunday School Supt.

"Life isn't made up of one big effort, but many little efforts from day to day, which eventually count for big success."—Selected.

"Whatsoever thy hand findeth to do, do it with thy might."—Eccles. 9:10.

In an endeavor to make this new year a beautiful year, it will be necessary to cultivate each faculty, each phase of life, that of religion as well as the material. A good beginning would be to put into practice that resolution to "go to church."

You have a cordial invitation to attend the services of the week-end with us, beginning with Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Regular worship at 10:50 a. m. Evening service, which will be evangelistic, at 7:30. Prayer service Wednesday evening at 7:30. Mr. J. W. Neill is to direct the service.

CUT WEDDING CAKE

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Fitch cut their wedding cake at the reception following their marriage at Calvary Baptist Church. Mrs. Fitch was formerly Miss Mackie Duchesne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duchesne.

Choir rehearsal Thursday evening, 7:30. Mr. Grady Hall, director.

W. S. C. S. will meet at the church Tuesday afternoon at 2:30.

All worship will be held in the main auditorium, but entrance will be on South Third street.

THE FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Jackson And Wood St.
Rev. A. M. Serex, Ph. D., Pastor
Rev. Lea Joyner, Assistant To The Pastor

The First Methodist Church cordially invites you to attend its Sunday services scheduled below:

8:30 a. m. Holy Communion.
9:30 a. m. Sunday school for all departments.
10:45 a. m. Morning worship.
5:00 p. m. Junior Fellowship.
5:30 p. m. Youth Recreation.
6:30 p. m. Youth Fellowship.
7:30 p. m. Evening service, "The Friendly Hour."

At the morning service, the pastor's sermon will be entitled: "A Faith for These Days."

At the evening service, his topic will be, "When a Few Can do Great Things."

The calendar of events for the First Methodist Church during the coming week:

Tuesday, 3:00 p. m. W. S. C. S. business and program meeting.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. Wesleyan Service Guild, business and program meeting.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Parker Memorial Class party.

(A nursery for small children is maintained in the church annex during the morning worship.)

Again, we invite and encourage each and every one to attend any service at the First Methodist Church in which he may feel interested.

MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
Northeast Junior College Auditorium
Pastor, George Pearce, Jr.

9:45 a. m. Sunday school, classes for all ages.

11 a. m. morning services; prelude "Joyous Bells" by Keck; anthem, "Holy Is The Lord" from Isaiah 6:3; sermon, "Through Christ Our Lord," pastor. A nursery is maintained during this hour.

6:15 p. m. Methodist Youth Fellowship, parsonage, 215 Bell avenue.

6:45 p. m. Junior choir.

7:30 p. m. evening service; special music by the junior choir; sermon by the pastor.

Monday 7:30 p. m. Sunday school workers council meeting, church office, 401 Sherrouse.

Tuesday 3 p. m. W. S. C. S. business meeting, church office, 401 Sherrouse.

Tuesday 7:30 p. m. Wesleyan Guild, parsonage, 215 Bell avenue.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
1800 Jackson street
John T. Smithson, Minister

Bible Study, 9:45 a. m.; Preaching, 10:50 a. m.; Communion and Fellowship, 11:45 a. m.; Young People's Bible Study, 6:30 p. m.; Preaching, 7:30 p. m.; Ladies' Bible Study, 3:00 p. m.

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PRECIOUS DOCUMENTS WILL BE EXHIBITED TO THE PUBLIC ON THE FREEDOM TRAIN

On January 13 the Freedom Train will be in Monroe and Mrs. A. D. Tisdale, chairman of the women's division of the Freedom Train committee will give an address at the Georgia Tucker School auditorium. It will be an open meeting and the public generally is extended an invitation to be present. The meeting January 13, will, according to Mrs. Tisdale, be a "revival meeting" for American Democracy.

The Freedom Train is constructed as a National Shrine to house about 100 original documents of American history. It will visit approximately 300 communities in all of the 48 states during a tour which commenced September, 1947, and will last for one year. In each community this collection of documents—the most impressive of its kind ever assembled—will be exhibited to the public.

These documents are being loaned to the department of justice by the Library of Congress, National Archives, and other sources such as the A. S. W. Rosenbach Collection, The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the New York State Library. They include a manuscript copy of The Declaration of Independence attested by Benjamin Franklin, a printed draft of the Constitution with annotations by George Washington, the official and original manuscript of the Bill of Rights, The Emancipation Proclamation, and others, concluding with the German surrender documents, the famous Hirohito Rescript, and the Declaration by the United Nations. Every conceivable measure is being taken to assure the complete security of these documents.

In connection with the tour of the Freedom Train, each community visited will proclaim and organize a Community Rededication Week to be climaxed by the arrival of the train. This will consist of a program in which every facet of a community can participate as an expression of rededication to America's traditions of the past and promise of the future.

It should be emphasized that the program will be conducted upon a completely non-partisan basis. It will be managed and financed by a foundation, already incorporated in the District of Columbia, composed of leading American citizens of varied walks of life and differing political views. The American Heritage Foundation is prepared to institute this program. It requires the moral, organizational, and financial support of all who are concerned with the problems confronting our country today.

This program will invoke the wholehearted support of the American people.

Monroe will certainly do her part.

Society Calendar

Sunday

The regular weekly meeting of the Delta Sigma fraternity will be held in the home of John Bivins at 2:15 p.m.

Regular monthly communion for Catholic Daughters of America, 8 o'clock mass, St. Matthew's Church.

The regular weekly meeting of the Sigma Phi Omega fraternity will be held in the home of Bert De Loach, 709 North Fourth Street at 2:00 p.m.

Georgia Tucker auditorium—Readings for "The Devil's Disciple," next Little Theatre play. Everyone in the Twin Cities, interested, are invited and urged to attend. 2:30 p. m.

Important meeting of Beta Delta sorority in the home of Miss Ann Hinton, 508 Arkansas Avenue, 2:30 p.m. All members are urged to be present.

Monday

The Review Club will meet with Mrs. A. R. Holloway Monday at 2:30 p. m.

The Triads Club of Y-Teens will meet at the "Y" at 4:30 p. m.

The Review Club will meet with Mrs. A. R. Holloway Monday at 2:30 p.m.

Meeting of Monroe Rebecca Lodge at W. O. W. Hall. Initiation and installation, 7:30 p. m.

Regular monthly meeting of Catholic Daughters at Knights of Columbus hall, 7:30 p. m.

Georgia Tucker auditorium—Readings for "The Devil's Disciple," next Little Theatre play. 8 p. m.

Meeting of Literary Guild with Mrs. J. B. Kugler. Mrs. A. D. Tisdale, co-hostess. 2:30 p. m

The W. B. A. California Travel Club will meet at Palmer's Cafe at 2 p.m. Members are urged to attend.

Meeting of Equality club with Mrs. Adam Causey on Winnsboro road. 7:30 p. m. All members urged to attend.

Tuesday

Temple Bnai Israel Sisterhood will meet in the Temple annex Tuesday, January 6, at 2:30 p. m.

The Kumjoynus Blue Triangle Club of Y-Teens will meet at the "Y" at 4:30 p. m.

Open meeting of the League of Women Voters, 8 p. m. in the Health Building. Subject, "The School Survey."

Meeting of Circle No. 9, Presbyterian Church, at the church at 6 p. m. Supper. All members urged to attend.

The Lambda Sigma Chi Juniors will hold their first meeting of the new year at the home of Miss Diane Ducote, 2308 Jasmine, at 4:15 p.m.

Circles of the W. S. C. S. of Stone Avenue Methodist Church will meet at the church at 2:30 p.m.

Business meeting of W. M. U. Baptist Church.

Regular program and business meeting of the W. M. S. of the Parkview Baptist church in the home of Mrs. J. F. Stone 305 Glenmar at 2 p. m.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church will meet Tuesday at 3 p. m. for the monthly meeting. A program will be given.

Meeting of Ladies Catholic Altar Society with Mrs. W. E Reardon. 2:30 p. m.

Wednesday

The Y'D Awake Club will meet and go to the Catholic Church at 4:30 p. m.

The YoWoCa Business Girls' Club will meet at the "Y" at 6:30 p. m. for their regular meeting to elect officers for the year 1948.

The Welcome Wagon Newcomers Club luncheon at 12:30 p.m., January 7, 1948, at the Episcopal Parish House. Hostesses: Mrs. N. Klam, Mrs. Faheam Cannon, Mrs. W. H. Lynn and Mrs. Duncan Thompson.

Meeting of Music Guild with Mrs. Paul Newman, 2:30 p. m.

Meeting of Twentieth Century Book club with Mrs. O. L. Holloway, 3 p. m.

The Welcome Branch of the Twentieth Century Book Club will meet in the home of Mrs. F. E. Black, 406 Rochelle, with Mrs. A. J. Speer, co-hostess.

Thursday

The Opera Club will meet in the home of Mrs. R. W. Cretney at 10 a. m. with Mrs. P. A. Poag, co-hostess.

Meeting of A. A. U. W. with Miss Gladys Whitfield, 3009 South Grand, with Miss Hazel Mitchell, Mrs. Annie Lee Stahl, Miss Mae Coker and Miss Frances Flanders, co-hostesses, 7:30 p. m.

The Y. W. C. A. Board will meet at the "Y" at 10:00 a. m.

The Blue Circle Club of Y-Teens will meet at the "Y" at 4:30 p. m.

Friday

The Women's Club of the Missouri Pacific will meet at the clubhouse January 9 at 7:30 p. m. The change of time should be noted. There will be a book review by Mrs. F. H. Peterson. Members are urged to attend and to bring husbands as guests.

The 7th Grade Club of Y-Teens will meet at the "Y" at 4:00 p. m.

The Y-Wives' Club of the Y. W. C. A. will have a "Family Night Party" at the "Y" at 8:00 p. m.

WED AT ST. MATTHEW'S

Dr. and Mrs. Vincent J. Sampognaro whose wedding took place recently at St. Matthew's Catholic Church. Mrs. Sampognaro was formerly Miss Tresa Aceti, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gabriele Aceti, of Detroit, Mich.

Churches

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Tuesday; Mid-Week Bible Study, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

We are now in the new year and we should do our best to make it the best. Everyone should be at all the services possible.

Let us all put God first in all our affairs throughout this entire year. We must do our duty in order to be a blessing to others and to receive the blessings of God. Attend the Bible studies and worship on time, and get some others to come with you.

CENTRAL ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Corner Hall And Calpso
L. O. Waldon, Pastor
D. E. Stroud, Assistant Pastor

"The Glowing Presence of God" will be the subject for the morning service. We should not be satisfied with just church membership, or with keeping all the duties of a Christian but we are to enjoy the Holy Glow of God's presence day by day.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., H. W. Holdiness, superintendent. Morning worship hour at 11:00 o'clock. Christ's Ambassadors meet at 6:45 p. m., Miss Lucille Morrison, president. Evening evangelistic service at 7:30.

CHURCH OF GOD
Cypress Street, West Monroe
J. C. Grubbs, Pastor

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

Worship services, 10:50 a. m., and 7 .0 p. m.

Young People's meeting, 6:45 p. m.

Prayer meeting, Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

A cordial welcome to all.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATER DAY SAINTS
307 North Second Street
Travis T. Tynes, Branch President

Sunday School at 10:00 a.m.

Testimony meeting at 11:15 a.m.

Relief Society Preparation and Visiting Teachers Training Meeting at 6:45 p.m.

Sacrament Meeting at 8:00 p.m.

Relief Society, Theology and Testimony Meeting Tuesday at 7:30 p.m., at home of Sis Alice Clark, 1402 Standifer Street.

Sunday School Faculty Meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Mutual Improvement Association Friday at 7:30 p.m.

We extend a cordial invitation to you to come and worship with us.

GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH
Fourth And Glenmar Streets
Edward Farren Hayward, Rector
H. Newton Griffith, Curate

Services in Grace Church for Sunday January 4, the Second Sunday after Christmas, will be as follows:

7:30 a. m. The Holy Eucharist.

9:30 a. m. The church school.

11:00 a. m. Choral Eucharist and sermon by the rector.

5:30 p. m. Young People of the church in the parish house.

Tuesday January 6, is the feast of the Epiphany, there will be a celebration of the Holy Eucharist at 9:00 o'clock a. m.

9:00 a. m. Wednesday, the Holy Eucharist.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend all of these services and worship with us.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"God" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, January 4, 1948.

The Golden Text is: "Thus saith the Lord the King of Israel, and his redeemer the Lord of hosts; I am the first, and I am the last; and beside me there is no God" (Isa. 44:6).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "The Lord shall reign for ever and ever" (Ex. 15:18).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Though empires fall, 'the Lord shall reign forever'" (Pref. VII:20-21).

Listen to a fifteen minute radio broadcast Sunday at 9:30 a. m. over radio station KNOE.

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

Sunday service, 11:00 a. m.

Wednesday, 8:00 p. m.

Reading room, 814 Bernhardt Bldg., open daily, 10:00 to 5:00 except Sundays and national holidays.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(Disciples Of Christ)
St. John And Oak Streets
R. T. Watson, Minister
E. M. Wooten, Choir Director
Miss Patricia Padgett, Organist

Church school at 9:45 a. m.

Worship at 10:50 a. m. "Happy New Year," will be the sermon theme.

C. Y. F. at 5:30 p. m.

Worship at 7:30 p. m. The song service will be led by Mr. E. M. Wooten. There will be a short sermon by the minister.

Start the new year right by going to church.

MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Charley R. Robinson, Pastor
Fourth and Mill Streets
West Monroe

God has done wonderful things for us in the past year. Let us see how much we can do for Him this year, beginning at its very entrance. Make every day a fellowship with Christ and a day of service with Him to help others. Increase the spirituality of the church. We begin our worship this first Sunday in January by partaking of the Lord's supper. Let us come humbly by partaking of the Lord's supper. Let u come humbly to the table of the Lord. "The Challenge of Jesus Christ" will be the sermon topic Sunday morning. Sunday night the subject will be: "He That Cometh to the Lord." Come and bring the entire family to God's house.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; morning worship, 11 a. m.; young people's groups, 6:30 p. m.; evening worship, 7:30; Bible study, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

"In all thy ways acknowledge Him and He shall direct thy paths."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Grammont at Catalpa
Ernest D. Holloway, Minister

The Communion of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the morning hour of worship. "The Holy Supper, A Reminder" is the subject of the message. What does it remind us of?

At the evening hour the first message in a series "In the Secret of the Most High" will be given. "Our Real Trouble, and Its Cure" is the theme of the sermon.

A hearty welcome awaits you at all hours of worship.

LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH
Hyran Barefoot, Pastor
Charlotte Foster, Pianist

You are invited to worship with us at Liberty at each service. Sunday morning the pastor will discuss "The Trinity" and at night Sunday "New Opportunities."

Sunday school, Earl Brooks, superintendent, 10 a. m.

Morning worship, pastor, 11 a. m.

Training Union, Malinda Russell, director, 6:30 p. m.

Brotherhood, A. L. White, president, 6:30 p. m.

Evening worship, pastor, 6:30 p. m.

Prayer service, 7 p. m. Wednesday.

Training and instruction are essential to the spiritual growth of man and they can be assured through our Brotherhood, Sunday school, Training Union and W. M. V. Won't you benefit by attendance?

Mackenzie's Column

By DeWitt Mackenzie
(AP Foreign Affairs Analyst)

I like that lyric line by Princess Anne of Bourbon-Parma in affirming her love for Romania's deposed King Mihai:

"Wherever he goes, I will follow him."

That's the sort of thing you want to hear from a girl when the man she loves is in trouble. And young Mihai has indeed fallen on evil days, for the royal world in which he was reared has been pulled down suddenly about his ears. Worse yet, he is being sent into exile from the land of his birth because he has committed the sin of being born to kingship.

But what a girl he picked to be his queen! "Wherever he goes, I will follow him." It took courage for a proud young woman to make such a public declaration, before her betrothal had been formally announced. That was her way of saying:

"I'll stand by him, king or no king, through thick and thin."

Now please don't get the idea that this column is grieving over the downfall of another ruler. We are for democracy as laid down in our United States, that is, government directly by the people. We don't happen to need a king in America, but if the people of any country want a king they can have him and still remain a democracy—a fair example being the constitutional monarchy of Britain.

Whether the majority of the Romanian people would have liked to retain Mihai on the throne is an unanswered question. He is beloved by a host of his former subjects, but he has been deposed by the ruling Red machine without reference to the "proletariat" as a whole.

What becomes of the Mihais and the other royal personages who are discarded? Many of them are highly educated folk who are admirably equipped to play important parts in the affairs of their countries. In a true democracy there would be a place for them and they would be absorbed, because there is no class distinction such as exists in states which hew to the line of the "proletariat," no spot being provided for the so-called middle and upper classes.

Of course Romania doesn't have a democratic government, according to the standards of western democracy. It has a totalitarian Communist government which dares not let Mihai remain in the courtry. So many of the people want him on the throne that there might be danger of an uprising if he were allowed to stay in Romania. On that basis the Bolshevists probably are smart to throw him out.

So since Romania can't utilize Mihai's capabilities in any other way than that of king, he must go into exile. The Romanian government is said to have requested Swiss visas for him and the members of his entourage, which may mean that he will settle down in Switzerland—a man without a country or a job.

The world ought to have some better niche for Mihai than just a spot where he can sit more or less in solitude with his princess. He has a wealth of knowledge tucked away in his youthful head. For instance, he knows the fiery Balkans as do few others who aren't natives, and that information should be invaluable in these dangerous days when the gods of war are playing at bowls in that part of the world. What about enlisting his services in some job for the United Nations which needs his specialized knowledge?

Maybe that's too extreme, but in any event Mihai provides an excellent example of the point at which we are shooting: If we are going to have one world, and a democratic one, then society can't be restricted to any single classification. There must be a place for all, though with special privilege for none.

DECEMBER BRIDE

Mrs. James E. Ponder, the former Miss Geraldine Mays of Ruston, whose marriage was an interesting event of recent date. Mr. and Mrs. Ponder are honeymooning in New Orleans.

L. B. FAULK POST TO MEET MONDAY

The L. B. Faulk post of the American Legion will hold its first 1948 meeting at the memorial home, Monday at 8 p. m.

There will be initiations and business will be transacted.

All members are expected to attend and plans will be formulated to make 1948 the biggest year ever for the American Legion.

ALL CANDIDATES ASKED TO MEET

Oratorical Fireworks Expected At Political Rally Wednesday

Oratorial fireworks reminiscent of the famous political debates of the nineteenth century are expected during the political rally scheduled for 6:30 p. m. Wednesday, in the Neville High School auditorium, L. B. Armstrong, rally chairman, stated this morning.

"The political rally is part of the Junior Chamber of Commerce 'Get Out the Vote' campaign," Armstrong continued. The rally, like the entire campaign, is entirely non-partisan."

"All four of the candidates for the office of governor—Jones, Kennon, Long, and Morrison—have been invited to appear in person," Armstrong emphasized. "Each will have a limited time to present his argument, and when each of the four platforms has been presented, each candidate will have a few minutes—a strictly limited few minutes—to refute the arguments of his opponents."

The political debate, popular a hundred years ago, has almost disappeared from the American scene. In reviving it Wednesday evening, Armstrong stated that members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce are confident of its success. He pointed to the record number of registered voters in Ouachita parish as evidence of the degree of interest in the forthcoming elections.

"Two of the candidates—Jimmy Morrison and Bob Kennon—have already accepted our invitation and will be here in person," Armstrong pointed out. "Earl K. Long and Sam Jones have not yet made arrangements to be here in person, but both have agreed to send able speakers to represent their tickets in case they cannot be present."

Candidates will arrive at 6:30, Armstrong stated. From 6:30 to 7:30 they will be introduced to the audience, and final arrangements for procedure and the order of speaking will be announced. Speeches of the candidates and their replies to their opponents will begin at 7:30, and will be broadcast over radio station KNOE. Bob Dumm will be moderator, and it is believed that he will insist on strict observance of the time limits, the prohibition against introducing new material during the final answer period, and the other rules established for the occasion.

"State-wide attention will be focused on this meeting," Armstrong pointed out. "It is possibly the first time in the history of the state—certainly the first time in many years,—that all of the candidates for the office of governor have been heard on the same program. The political debate is a part of our American heritage which is well worth reviving."

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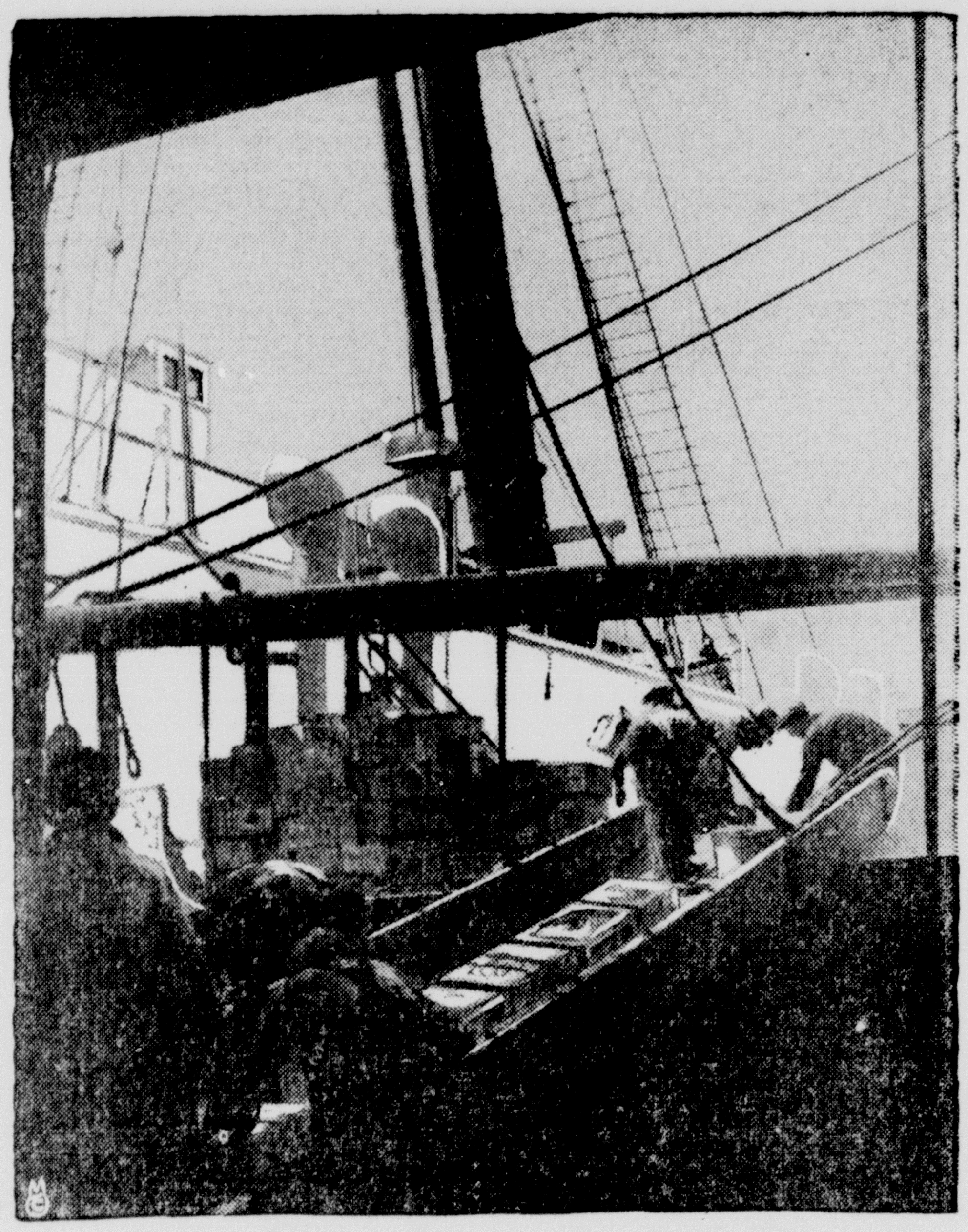

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for the many blessings tendered us. For the peace . . . for the bountiful harvest that followed. And in your house of worship we pray, everyday, that they continue so we may share them with our brethren overseas

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TERRY AND THE PIRATES
CATHAY
by GEORGE WUNDER
I SUPPOSE WE SHOULD CONSIDER OURSELVES LUCKY TO GET OUT OF THAT CASINO AND AWAY FROM THAT HORRIBLE WOMAN WITH OUR LIVES...
...WONDER WHY SHE DIDN'T HAVE HER PET HOOD LIQUIDATE US.
IT WASN'T NECESSARY. THE DRAGON LADY HAD US MOUSE-TRAPPED VERY NEATLY WITHOUT GETTING HER RUG STAINED.
I'M SURE HER CONVICTION AND FINE BY SOME LOCAL COURT WAS A PHONY DEAL ARRANGED TO STOP ANY CHANCE OF THE GUN-RUNNING CHARGE COMING UP TO EMBARRASS HER.
INCIDENTLY, IT FIXED MATTERS SO THAT THE ONLY WAY WE COULD EVER PROVE SHE FRAMED MY FATHER WOULD BE FOR HER TO GET CHATTY AND TELL US ALL ABOUT IT.
I'M AFRAID SO... BUT YOU FORGET ABOUT IT AND GET SOME REST. PAT AND I WILL TRY TO FIGURE ANOTHER ANGLE.
...AND AS SOON AS CHAZZ GETS BACK FROM THE ERRAND HE SAID HE HAD TO RUN, WE'LL MAKE PLOTS.
MEANWHILE
BEHOLD, MASTER. BOY LEAVES NOW.
SWELL! HERE, KEEP THE CHANGE.
...AND AT THE GAMBLING CASINO...
I THINK, BAR FU, THAT WE CAN FORGET THE O'HARA AFFAIR. THAT YOUNG LADY REALIZES THE FUTILITY OF HER QUEST.
YOU HANDLED THE MATTER MAGNIFICENTLY, MASTER... BUT HER MALE ASSOCIATES—WILL THEY GIVE UP SO EASILY?
PATRICK, TERRY AND CHARLES CHARLES! STRANGE THAT A BABY FACED SCHOOL GIRL COULD HOLD THEIR LOYALTY, WHILE I...
EXCUSE, MASTER. MESSENGER HAS JUST DELIVERED THESE.
FLOWERS... STRANGE! WHO COULD... HERE IS A CARD...
'DEAR D.L. ...HAVING BEEN STUDYING THE SUBJECT OF GIRLS FOR SOME TIME, HOW ABOUT SOME POST-GRADUATE WORK WITH A WOMAN?... AND IT'S SIGNED—'CHARLES C. CHARLES'.

DICK TRACY
by CHESTER GOULD
MAMA, DADDY'S HOME!
DADDY!
EASY, BRAT!
DARLING! DID YOU HAVE A GOOD DAY?
DID YOU SELL A LOT OF BRUSHES, DADDY?
SUPPER WILL BE READY IN A FEW MINUTES.
MAY I PLAY WITH YOUR BRUSHES, DADDY?
DADDY THIS, DADDY THAT. WHY CAN'T A STEP-CHILD SAY SOMETHING ELSE BESIDES DADDY?
I MARRIED THE DAME AND HER BRAT A YEAR AGO BECAUSE SHE HAD THIS HOUSE AND IT MADE A GOOD HIDEOUT.
BUT I'M GETTING SICK OF THE DEAL. SOON AS I SELL A FEW MORE SPARKLERS, I'LL—
MY COAT!
DADDY, YOUR COAT JINGLES. SOUNDS LIKE MARBLES IN THE SHOULDERS—
GIVE ME THAT—
DARLING! WHAT DID SHE DO?
THE KID'S GOT TO LEARN TO LEAVE MY CLOTHES ALONE. HAD MY COAT ON THE FLOOR.
AND AT HEADQUARTERS.
JUST A WHISK BROOM WE FOUND IN THE GLOVE COMPARTMENT OF THAT FAKE PARK DISTRICT TRUCK. IT CARRIES TRACES OF MARBLE DUST.
NOT MUCH OF A CLEW, IS IT?
I'M NOT SO SURE, CHIEF. THE HANDLE OF THAT LITTLE BROOM HAS "SAMPLE" STAMPED ON IT AND—
"SAMPLE"? YOU'RE RIGHT. SO WHAT?
SAMPLE
LATER.
WHY, YES, MR. TRACY, WE CAN GIVE YOU A LIST OF SALESMEN—ER, LET'S SEE THE ARTICLE.
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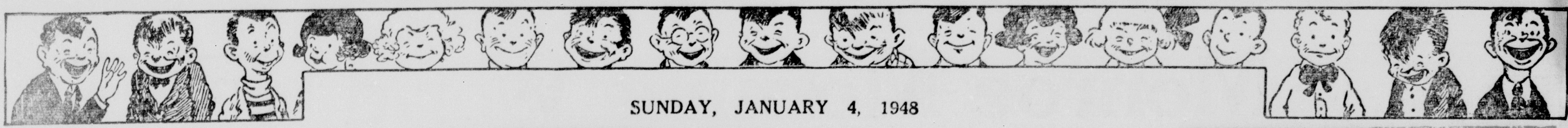
SERIAL NUMBER ON THE METAL BINDING SHOWS THAT BROOM WAS IN A KIT REPORTED STOLEN FROM ONE OF OUR MEN SEVERAL MONTHS AGO—
H'M? HIS NAME AND ADDRESS?



JUNGLE JIM
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BANISHED BY THE GRAND LAMA, JIM AND DZAM RIDE FOR SHELTER IN DZAM'S FORTRESS HOUSE.
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JIM TELLS LIL THEY'RE ON A WILD-GOOSE CHASE. "YOU GO NOW, FOREIGN DEVIL?" DZAM DEMANDS. JIM COUNTERS: "I'LL PAY YOU TO HELP FIX MY PLANE, SO I CAN GO."
DZAM AGREES, BUT JIM STAYS ON GUARD IN THE UNEASY TRUCE. A NIGHT VISITOR CAUSES MUCH CONFUSION: "A LAMA TO SEE THE FOREIGN DEVIL!"
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THE LAMA DEMANDS THAT JIM COME TO HIM, ALONE. "THE GRAND LAMA OF TSANG COMMANDS YOUR PRESENCE. SAY NOTHING TO DZAM."
NEXT WEEK: INTO THE LAMA'S DEN

FLASH GORDON
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"YOU'RE FLASH GORDON!" TECHNO GASPS. FLASH TALKS FAST: "YOU'RE A GREAT SCIENTIST. WHY HELP KANG DESTROY YOUR OWN PLANET WITH THE MONGONIUM?"
"KANG SAYS THE MONGONIUM IS JUST A THREAT TO CONQUER. BUT HE'S RUTHLESS; HE'D USE IT," TECHNO THINKS ALOUD. "I JOINED KANG TO FREE MY GIRL FROM PRISON FOR THEFT. WILL YOU PARDON HER?" PRESIDENT FLASH PROMISES.
"KANG'S SEARCHING FOR US ALREADY," DALE ADMITS. TECHNO LEADS THEM TO THE AIRLOCKS OF THE MONGONIUM MINES. "KANG WON'T VENTURE DOWN HERE!"
IN PROTECTO SUITS, FLASH AND DALE FIND REFUGE UNDERNEATH THE OCEAN BED. "STAY IN THE WORKED-OUT TUNNELS. I'LL SEE YOU AFTER THE WORKMEN LEAVE," TECHNO PROMISES.
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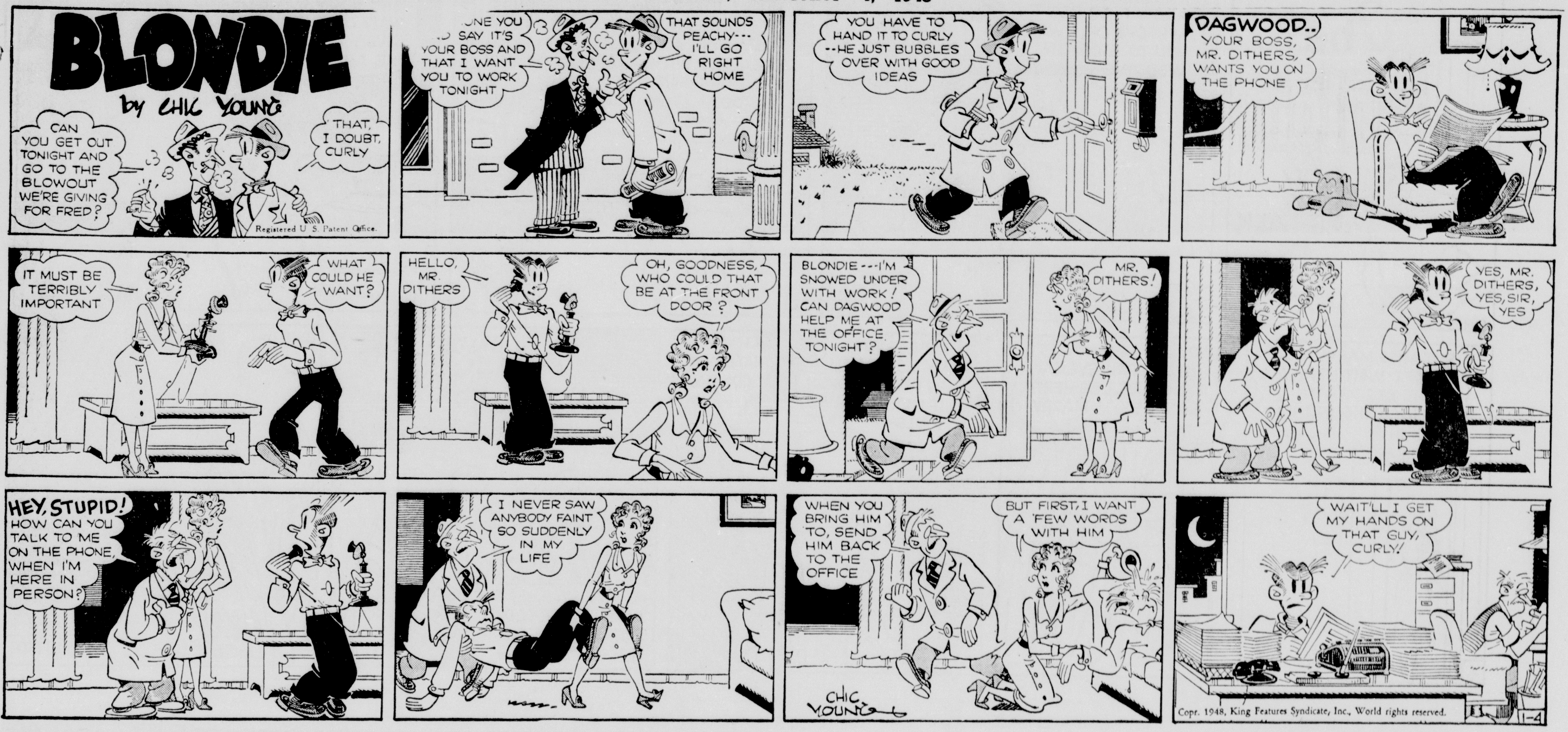
KANG HAS RELEASED SULTRA TO HELP HUNT FOR FLASH AND DALE. TECHNO STOUTLY MAINTAINS; "NO UNAUTHORIZED PERSONS HAVE ENTERED MY PLANT, YOUR MAJESTY!"
ALONE, TECHNO EAGERLY TELLS SULTRA, "MY LOVE, FLASH HAS PROMISED TO PARDON YOU." SULTRA TENSES LIKE A WOLF SIGHTING ITS PREY: "YOU'VE SEEN FLASH? WHERE IS HE NOW?"
NEXT WEEK: UNDERSEA TRAP.


BLONDIE
by Chic Young
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CAN YOU GET OUT TONIGHT AND GO TO THE BLOWOUT WE'RE GIVING FOR FRED?
THAT, I DOUBT, CURLY
ONE YOU
SAY IT'S YOUR BOSS AND THAT I WANT YOU TO WORK TONIGHT
THAT SOUNDS PEACHY--- I'LL GO RIGHT HOME
YOU HAVE TO HAND IT TO CURLY --HE JUST BUBBLES OVER WITH GOOD IDEAS
DAGWOOD.. YOUR BOSS, MR. DITHERS, WANTS YOU ON THE PHONE
IT MUST BE TERRIBLY IMPORTANT
WHAT COULD HE WANT?
HELLO, MR DITHERS
OH, GOODNESS, WHO COULD THAT BE AT THE FRONT DOOR?
BLONDIE---I'M SNOWED UNDER WITH WORK! CAN DAGWOOD HELP ME AT THE OFFICE TONIGHT?
MR. DITHERS!
YES, MR. DITHERS, YES, SIR, YES
HEY, STUPID! HOW CAN YOU TALK TO ME ON THE PHONE, WHEN I'M HERE IN PERSON?
I NEVER SAW ANYBODY FAINT SO SUDDENLY IN MY LIFE
WHEN YOU BRING HIM TO, SEND HIM BACK TO THE OFFICE
BUT FIRST, I WANT A FEW WORDS WITH HIM!
WAIT'LL I GET MY HANDS ON THAT GUY, CURLY!
CHIC YOUNG
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BRINGING UP FATHER by GEO. McMANUS
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YES-MRS. OVERWATE-I'M DONATING A SUIT OF ARMOR TO OUR CLUB-I'LL SEND IT OVER TO THE MEN'S CLUB AND HAVE THEM HOLD IT UNTIL THE DAY WE HAVE THE RAFFLE- YES-MY DEAR--OH! THAT'S A FINE IDEA!!!
AH! I'LL HIDE IN IT-AN' WHEN IT ARRIVES AT THE CLUB I'LL GIT OUT OF IT-AN' BE ON ME WAY TO DINTY'S!!
YES-MRS. OVERWATE THINKS IT WOULD BE BETTER TO PUT IT IN STORAGE FOR THE TIME BEING--NOW HANDLE IT CAREFULLY!!
WHAT IS IT- A STOVE??
I THINK IT'S AN OLD-FASHIONED FOOTBALL SUIT!!!
YES-MUM-
BE SURE TO LOCK TH' DOOR!
YOU BET-BUT I DON'T KNOW WHO'D WANT TO STEAL IT-
BY GOLLY-I DIDN'T EXPECT THIS-I'M LOCKED IN-AN' I CAN'T GET OUTTA THAT DOOR--SO THIS IS ME ONLY CHANCE-I HOPE IT WORKS!!!
IT DID!!-NOW FOR DINTY'S-I HOPE THEY'LL KNOW HOW TO GIT THIS UNBUTTONED!!!
HERE-CLANCY-PUT ME HAT SOMEWHERE-AN' DON'T LET ANY-ONE SIT ON IT!!!
WE'LL HAVE TO GIT TONY-THE BLACKSMITH TO UNDRESS YOU-
THAT'S TH' KINDA SUIT I OUGHTA WEAR WHEN I GO HOME-
GEO McMANUS
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Right Around HOME
by Dudley Fisher
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A VISIT FROM MRS. SMALTZ'S SISTER, THE ONE WHO SINGS!
SINCE WE'VE ALL SO MUCH ENJOYED MY SISTER'S RENDITION OF THE CLASSICS, I'M GOING TO ASK HER, AS A SPECIAL TREAT, TO SING US ONE OF HER OWN LITTLE COMPOSITIONS!
WHAT DOES RENDITION MEAN, WALLACE?
I THINK IT HAS SOMETHING TO DO WITH MAKING SOAP!
ARNOLD DOESN'T LIKE IT, EITHER. HE'S JUST PLAYING IT SAFE!
SLUG! STOP BITING YOUR NAILS!
THOUGHT YOU WANTED TO SLIP OUT THE BACK DOOR! WELL-HERE'S YOUR HAT!
YOU'D BETTER GET OFF THAT DAVENPORT BEFORE MRS SMALTZ COMES TO
ALICE, THERE'S SOMETHING WRONG WHEN THAT DAME HAS A CONTRACT IN HOLLYWOOD AND I SING FREE FOR NOTHING!
SH!
GEE WHITH, MYRTLE! YOU CAN'T THIT RIGHT DOWN HERE IN FRONT AND BE RUDE!
GOSH, ARNOLD, I DIDN'T KNOW SHE COULD SING THIS KIND OF STUFF!
NEITHER DID MRS. SMALTZ!
ALL IT NEEDED WAS YOUR SAMBA INTERPRETATION! TELL ME WHEN TO TURN THE PAGE!
GET MY COAT AND HAT, SUSIE, AND WE'LL SLIP OUT THE BACK DOOR!
NOW I UNDERSTAND THE HOLLYWOOD ANGLE!
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The Phantom
by
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MY SISTER'S MARRYING A MAN I ~ER DON'T APPROVE OF. I WANT YOU TO STOP THE WEDDING
EASY! WE'LL BEAT HIS BRAINS OUT!
2
I DON'T WANT HIM HURT! JUST BRING HIM TO THIS CABAÑA. YOU'LL FIND A PREACHER WITH HIM. BRING HIM, TOO!
YEAH? THIS SOUNDS LOONY! HOW MUCH DOUGH?
3
A THOUSAND EACH. THERE'S THE ROOM. CLIMB UP AND WAIT ON THE BALCONY. I'LL GIVE YOU THE SIGNAL WHEN HE ARRIVES.
OKAY.
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BUT, MISS MARSHALL, I CAN'T WAIT HERE ALL NIGHT. BESIDES, IT'S SUFFOCATING IN THIS CLOSET!
YOU CAN'T GO NOW! IT'LL SPOIL EVERYTHING! HE'LL BE HERE SOON ~ YOU'LL MARRY US AT ONCE.
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PLEASE WAIT. MY SISTER WILL BE HEART BROKEN, IF HER SURPRISE FAILS ~~~
HMM ~~ THAT'S ODD ~ COMING FROM YOU!
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COME TO BRIDAL SUITE HURRY ~~~
MEANWHILE, AS THE PHANTOM FOLLOWS THE MYSTERIOUS TOM-TOM BEAT ~~
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GULP!
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CONT'D.

TARZAN
by
EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS
TARZAN GRIMACED AS HE SWAM THROUGH THE NOISOME ODORS RISING FROM THE SLIMY WATER AND FROM THE LOW, MARSHY BANK BEYOND. GREAT, UNBLINKING EYES HUNGRILY WATCHED THE MAN SWIMMING DIRECTLY TOWARD THEM.
AS TARZAN REACHED THE BANK, THE CROCODILE CHARGED WITH A BELLOWING ROAR.
TOSSING NKIMA TOWARD A TRAILING VINE, HE TURNED TO MEET THE CHARGING REPTILE.
POWERFUL HANDS CLAMPED THEMSELVES ABOUT THE GREAT JAWS, AND SLOWLY TARZAN BENT AND TWISTED---
--THE MAMMOTH HEAD ASIDE AND BACK.
AND THEN THE BLOOD-CURDLING CRY OF THE VICTORIOUS BULL-APE SHATTERED THE STILLNESS OF THE DESOLATE SWAMP.
TRAVELING SLOWLY, THE APE-MAN SOUGHT THE TRAIL HE KNEW MUST LEAD TO THE LAIR OF THE MYSTERIOUS QUEEN OF WHITE FIRES.
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AND THAT NIGHT, FROM HIS BED IN THE CROTCH OF A GREAT TREE, TARZAN SAW THE SPIRIT-MEN, GLOWING LIKE HUGE FIREFLIES, WALKING THE TRAIL HE SOUGHT.
HOGARTH
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LI'L ABNER
by
AL CAPP
WELL, MOONLIGHT SONATA, HAVE YOU BROKEN YOKUM'S HEART YET?—HAVE YOU DESTROYED HIS FAITH IN HUMANITY?
HE WASN'T INTERESTED IN COMING UP TO SEE ME—UNTIL I MENTIONED MY MOTHER!!' THIS, HE IS INTERESTED IN.!'—
WELL, THEN—WE'LL HAVE TO HIRE A "MOTHER" FOR YOU—
??-WHAT'S THAT?-
WHADDYE MEAN, THEY AIN'T USIN' MY TYPE O' COVER GIRL THIS SEASON?!—HORROR MAGAZINES NEED COVERS, DON'T THEY?—
OUTA MY WAY, WISE GUY!!'—
ANY WITCH JOBS, BOSS?—I AIN'T WORKED SINCE HALLOWE'EN!!'
I HAVE A JOB FOR YOU, CANDY BONES—BUT IT ISN'T EXACTLY MODELLING!!'—I WANT YOU TO POSE AS MOONLIGHT'S MOTHER, TONIGHT. A BOY IS COMING UP TO SEE HER. HE GOES FOR MOTHERS—
ALL YOU HAVE TO DO IS SIT IN A ROCKIN'-CHAIR, AN' CHAT WITH HIM—
LIKE WHISTLER'S MUDDER. OKAY, BOSS!!'—
THAT NIGHT—
HOWDY!!'—AH ASSOOMS THET BROKEN-DOWN, WORE-OUT CRITTER, THAR, IS YORE MAMMY—BLESS HER WRINKLED OLE HIDE!!'
MOTHER STAYED UP JUST LONG ENOUGH TO MEET YOU!!' SHE'LL BE GOING TO BED SOON----AND WE'LL BE ALONE!!'
BUT—AH COUNTED ON A 3 OR 4-HOUR CHAT WIF YO'!!'—MAMMYS O' YORE BROKE-DOWN TYPE LIKES T'JABBER 'BOUT THAR ACHES AN' PAINS. ANYTHIN' SPESHUL BIN BOTHERIN' YO' LATELY?
I'M GLAD YOU BROUGHT THAT UP, KID!!'
FOUR HOURS LATER
—AND WHEN THEY OPERATED ON ME AGAIN—THEY FOUND THE LAST DOCTOR'S TOUPEE INSIDE!!'—BUT, THAT'S NOTHIN'!!'—WAIT'LL I TELL YOU WHAT HAPPENED T' ME IN 1922!!'
AH CAN'T TELL YO' HOW MUCH AH INJOYED LISSENIN' T'YO' YAMMER 'BOUT YORE MISERIES!!' MAY AH VISIT YO' AGIN TOMORRY NIGHT?—YO' SWEET OLE WRECK!!'
NATCH, KID —NATCH!!'
HOW AM I GETTING ALONG? HA!!'—HE'S FASCINATED BY THAT OLD WITCH YOU HIRED!!'
GREAT!!'—IT DOESN'T MATTER WHO BREAKS HIS HEART!!' HMM!!'—THAT BOY'LL NEVER GET OVER HIS NEXT VISIT TO YOUR—"MOTHER"!—
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TO BE CONTINUED.
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Little Orphan Annie
So "They never come back," eh? Well, "Daddy" Warbucks does— in fact, he is back, "big as life and twice as natural"— and it's about time!
Imagine— the great Oliver Warbucks! Why, I've read of him for years— but now, in our own house— why, he's as common as bread an' butter!
He gave me th' best cigar I ever smoked— a whole box of 'em—
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They say he's rich— but he doesn't act like it— why, he's got no more airs than a hired man— huh! Not as many as most, these days!
Maybe that's why he's rich! No more airs than a hired man, but plenty more brains— and git up and go!
He's just a small time printer, "Daddy"— and he lives in a shack— and most ever'body dislikes him—
Dislikes Joe? Why? What does he print?
He prints th' truth— th' facts folks like to ignore, "Paw" says— but Joe's right— he's always right, if folks would only listen—
Hm-m— I see— of course folks don't care for that— the truth—
No— the truth can be very uncomfortable— we all want to be good and virtuous— but mostly we want to feel virtuous— regardless of the facts—
That's right, "Daddy"—
And after readin' what Joe prints, mighty few folks in Springhalt can feel virtuous—
Joe sounds to me like a reformer—
That's what they all say! Joe's a reformer! When a place needs reformin', what's so bad about that?
Ha-ha! You have a point there, Annie— but the fact remains—
Who wants to be reformed? A lot of us would be crooks, if we weren't afraid of being punished, I'm afraid—
Not you, "Daddy"— you've always played on th' level!
Hm-m— thanks, Annie— I've always figured that way paid off best— but here we are— let's meet this friend of yours—
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Hey! Joe! —I never guessed it was you— what are you doing here?
Oliver! My old friend! Oh, I'm making trouble here, as usual—
Of course, you know how troublemakers are regarded— I'm not popular here, Oliver— I think the "good" people hate me the worst—
Ha-ha! Sure, Joe— it's been that way for at least a couple o' thousand years— but you're right, Joe— and right folks are back of you— never forget that—
Harold Gray

Moon Mullins by Frank Willard
Hello, who is this?
How do I know? This ain't a television set.
Oh, for heaven's sake! Kayo, give me that phone.
It's Lord Plushbottom. He wants you to bring his cane to him at the bank
Reach for a cloud, boys, this is a stick up.
Look! He left his trail in the snow, Moon— follow those tracks and we'll see where the scoundrel went.
Nix. Lets follow these tracks and see where he come from.
I always did want to be a drum major in a band
Heck I dropped it.
Zunk
Well wot in—
My word!
Ha!
Now, wotsa idea?
Where am I?
Extry! Boy captures bandit single-handed— gets $100 reward!
Gee!
That's him.
And gimme a dozen banana splits and a bushel of lollipops and ten chocklit sodys and—
Gosh!
Willard

When the Head's pilot, who was flying Jack's plane, didn't land, the pilot of the strange plane fired at the propeller arc of Jack's plane!
Smilin' Jack
The shots threw the prop out of balance and the engine vibrated so that the pilot had to shut it off and land in the valley!
The strange plane descended too but by the time it had completed its landing, "The Head" and his pilot had jumped out of Jack's plane and disappeared into the woods!
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Inspector?— what are you doing here? How did you know where I was?— how th?
Haven't time to tell you now but it is a strange story! As quick as we can free you two, we'll start a man-hunt for th' rats that got away— we have extra guns!
NC 202K
Say— one of the Head's "mugs" mentioned that "the Head" had a fast, long range plane that he kept under cover in a valley near his hideout!
"The Head" even told me, when he thought I was missile, that certain foreign powers were getting anxious for him to deliver certain secrets to them!
Now that he knows that his hideout has been discovered he'll probably try to fly to a foreign country
Which valley does he keep it in? He couldn't fly in and out of the valley at his hideout where your plane took off because it's too short for a fast long range plane!
Say, I'll run back to my plane and get an air map of this section!
As you know air maps show all the various contours and altitudes of the terrain!
There is the little valley at "the Head's" hideout and here's the one we're in!
—And over the ridge to the west is a very long valley that shows a large area of approximately the same altitudes!
—In fact, that is the only large valley near here, so that must be where he keeps his long range plane!
—Come on— time's a-wastin— the map shows a gap in th' mountain a lil south of here— we can cut through there and save time!
Later.
Look! Comin' outta that clearing in the edge of the woods! It's a fast plane alright— an A-26!
That's right! I recall hearing "the Head's" mug mention that he had a reconverted A-26!
Hey, they aren't even taxiing out— they must have seen us! They're givin' it th' gun for a take-off!
Bang
Bang!
Bang!
Well we've gotta give it the gun too!
Zack Mosley
Jan-4-
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The Gumps
Gus Edson 1-4
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It's a swell story with a happy ending— and it all began because Mugsy didn't believe in Santa Claus..
I'll bet he does now!
I'll bet the kid's widowed mother does too!
Yep... Cub Cameron will make a good husband and step father..
Strange how things happened... almost seems like a play
Speaking of plays... do you know who's in the parlor with Uncle Bim?...
...Old Captain Key!!
Captain Key? Who's he?
You'll soon know... here they come now...
Ah... come here, Chester..
Chester, I want you to meet my old and dear friend, Captain Key... of the Flora Bell!!
G-gee, Captain Key... it must be great to be master of a ship sailing the seven seas!!
Er-not seven, son... not even one sea.. the Flora Bell is a show boat!
A show boat? You mean a sort of floating theatre?!.. Gosh!!
Boy!!...I'll bet I could have a swell....

JOE PALOOKA by HAM FISHER
CONTINUED...
YOU STILL SLEEPIN', VIRGIL? THERE'S WASHINGTON... IT'S THRILLIN'... LOOKS JIST LIKE A PITCHER POST CARD.
JEST GITTIN' UP, HUMPHREY... W-WHAT JA SAY... HOW'D WE GIT HERE?
OH, I JEST KEP' PEDDLIN'... WOULDJA HAND ME A TURKEY AN' STUFF, F'YA-PLEASE?
W-WHY... YA MUS' BE PLUMB TUCKERED OUT, SON... WE WUZ AT WHEELIN' WES' VIRGINIA LAST I REMEMBER.
LOOK, IT'S HUMPHREY. HI, HUMPHREY.
HEY, HUMPHREY... JOE'S HERE...
HI, HUMPHREY.
LOOK AT THAT THING HE'S RIDIN'!
'SCUSE ME... DID'JA SAY JOE'S HERE... WHERE'S HE... I GOTTA HELP 'IM.
HE'S OVER AT THE SENATE... THEY APPEAR AT THE HEARING THIS MORNING.
GET OUT AN EXTRA... HUMPHREY'S HERE!
OKAY, CASEY.
DOWN THAT-AWAY HE SAID.
THE WASHINGTON POST
HOW KIN YA RUN SFAST... I'D THINK YA'D BE TOO TARD.
GOTTA GIT THERE!
BUT WE GOTTA GIT IN...
WE HAFTA... HONES'LY AN' TRUTHF'LY.
YOU CAN'T GET IN, I SAID!
NOW, MR. WALSH, WE HAVE REASON TO BELIEVE THE "MT. RUSHMORE INCIDENT" MAY HAVE BEEN INSTIGATED BY YOU AS A PUBLICITY STUNT. DID YOU HAVE ANYTHING TO DO WITH IT?
NEVER KNEW IT WAS HAPPENIN'... AN' DON'T KNOW WHO DONE IT!
W-WHERE WE GOIN'?
WE GOTTA GIT TO OUR TOOLS AN' STUFF FAST!
MISTER PALOOKA.
ONLY ANSWER D'RECK QUESTIONS! YER ON A SPOT. BE CLEVER LIKE I WAS. YOU DON'T KNOW NOTHIN'!!
YOU SAY YOU DON'T KNOW WHO DID IT... HAVE YOU ANY IDEA... REMEMBER YOU ARE UNDER OATH!
PHEW
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WAIT A SECON', GENTULMUN, F'YAPLEASE... IT'S ME! YOO-HOO!
TO BE CONTINUED...
HAM FISHER

Dixie Dugan BY McEVOY AND STRIEBEL
OH, DEAR—WE'RE OUT OF BREAD
I'LL RUN TO THE STORE FOR YOU, MA—
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IS MY FACE DIRTY?
NO—IT'S YOUR DRESS—
OOOPS I FORGOT! I'VE BEEN WORKING AROUND THE HOUSE
POSITIVELY INDECENT
WHAT'S THE YOUNGER GENERATION COMING TO?
HEY, FELLAS —CHEESE-CAKE!

HI, JUNIOR DESIGNERS! I JUST MADE A SPECIAL SHOPPING TRIP—TO LOOK OVER THE FASHION FIELD FOR YOU. STUDYING THE LINES OF THESE NEW STYLES MAY BE A HELP IN FORMING YOUR OWN IDEAS OF THE "NEW LOOK". NEXT WEEK I'LL FEATURE ONE OF YOUR DESIGNS THE ONE I THINK MAKES THE BEST USE OF THE NEW TRENDS. A HAPPY NEW YEAR OF DESIGNING TO ALL OF YOU!
A FULL EVENING SKIRT THAT CAN FORM THE BASIS OF MANY CLEVER COSTUMES—HERE IT'S WORN WITH A VELVET TRIMMED VEST-BLOUSE, SEWN OVER WITH SEQUINS—USEFUL WITH FULL SKIRTS IS THE SHORT JACKET OF QUILTED VELVETEEN, SHOWN BELOW
AN AFTERNOON DRESS WITH THE NEW CURLED-PETAL COLLAR, LONG SLIM BODICE, AND FULL SKIRT.
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FIVE O'CLOCK SUIT WITH THE 'LADY' LOOK - FRENCH VELVETEEN WITH A MINK BIB - AND A WOOL SKIRT
A COUNTRY SUIT - BELTED HEAVY WOOL SKIRT, SILK SHIRT, AND A LIGHT WOOL JACKET.
A FUR-TRIMMED GREATCOAT OF VOLUMINOUS WOOL IN THE NEW BELL SHAPE - LONG LENGTH

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BARNEY GOOGLE AND SNUFFY SMITH
THEM YALLER YAWKLEYS ARE CLOSIN IN ON UNKY BLUNDERBUSS AN' UNK SNUFFY, AUNT LOWIZIE--GRAB YORE SHOOTIN' ARN
I CAIN'T GO OFF FEUDIN' NOW, JUGHAID I GOT SOME BLACK-EYED PEAS ON A-COOKIN'
AUNT LOWIZIE SEZ SHE DONT AIM TO JINE TH' FEUD, UNKY BLUNDERBUSS
BY JEEPERS!! I RECKON I'LL HAFTER USE TACK-TICKS ON THAT STUBBORN FEMALE
HOL' TH' FORT, SNUFFY!!
B-BLUNDER YORE BUSS, RUSTLE BONES
YE TAKE A HUNNERT YALLER YAWKLEYS AN' GIT SNUFFY, SKAIRT-- YE TAKE THUTTY-FIVE, BACK-BONELESS, AN' GIT JUGHAID--- I'LL BACK YE UP
SHUX-- LET ME HAVE TWO HUNNERT, YALLER
TH' YALLER YAWKLEYS ARE LAFFIN' THEIR HEADS OFF, LOWIZIE-- THEY CLAIM THEY SEEN A THREE-HUNNERT-POUND SACK O' FLOUR IN HERE-- A-WALKIN' ON TWO LAIGS
I'LL LA'RN YE YALLER YAWKLEYS TO MAKE DEROGGERY REMARKS ABOUT MY FIGGER!!
SHOOT 'ER, SCAIRT
BLAST HER, CHICKEN-LIVERED
LET 'ER HAVE IT, COLD-FOOTED
SHOOT 'ER, YALLER
YO'RE SLIMMER'N A BAMBOO POLE, MIZ SMIF
FRED LASSWELL
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ALLEY OOP
By V.T. HAMLIN
T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.
YOU SEE, MY BRUTISH FRIEND, I COULD HAVE RUN YOU THROUGH AS EASILY AS I DIVESTED YOU OF THIS SILLY DRAPE!
YEH, MEBBE YOU COULD... YOU'RE PRETTY HANDY WITH THAT BLADE...
BUT I AIN'T SO SLOW WITH AN AX, EITHER!
NOW WE'RE RIGHT BACK WHERE WE STARTED FROM-- DO YOU GIVE ME SOME CLOTHES OR DO I TAKE 'EM?
TAKE WHAT YOU WANT FROM THE LOOT!
SINCE YOU ARE ALONE IN THIS LAND, WHY NOT ACCEPT SERVICE UNDER MY BANNER?
MILITARY SERVICE, EH?
HERE THERE IS NO OTHER KIND-- BY THE SWORD WE LIVE, AND BY IT WE PERISH!
YEAH, I KNOW. ONLY I DON'T FIGGER TO PERISH-- WHEN DO I GO TO WORK?
TONIGHT--YOU WILL ACCOMPANY PERCY ON PATROL!
LATER
BRR! WORST WEATHER I EVER SAW! ANYTHING'D BE BETTER'N WALKIN' POST IN THIS!
IT'S BAD, BUT THERE'S WORSE THINGS ABROAD IN THIS SORRY LAND, MY FRIEND!
TH' VIKING PIRATES, Y'MEAN?
OH, THEY'RE BAD TOO, BUT....
WHOOOO
HEY, WHAT WAS THAT WOOISH NOISE?
AHH! THE CURSE OF THE HILLS! I FEAR ONE OF US WON'T BE HERE, COME DAWN!
IT'S THE BEAST... AN UNEARTHLY MONSTER... A DRAGON!
ONE OF THEM FOUR-LEGGED, FIRE-BREATHIN' SNAKES? AW, MY GOSH, PAL, WHATCHA TRYIN' T'GIVE ME?
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ALICE JENNA TRIES TO HOLD RACKETEER KING BRADWAY AND HIS BODYGUARD AT BAY WHILE EASY, UNKNOWN TO THEM, PHONES THE POLICE
CAPTAIN EASY
T. M. REG. U. S. PAT. OFF.
THOSE RECORDS I TOOK ARE ENOUGH EVIDENCE TO BREAK YOUR NUMBERS RACKET WIDE OPEN, BRADWAY!
SO YOU'RE WORKIN' FOR THE D.A.! WHY, YOU LITTLE--
CRASH!
BLAZES!
OKAY, CAPTAIN EASY! WE'LL COME RIGHT OUT--HEY! ARE YOU THERE?
UP THE STAIRS, STOOL PIGEON! I'VE GOT A SPECIAL TREATMENT FOR YOU!
NEVER MIND THE GUN, CHUM!
THOSE SPRINKLERS ARE FOR BOTH WATER AND GAS, BABY! AND YOU WON'T GET WET!
I KNOW ALL ABOUT YOUR HOME-MADE GAS CHAMBER, BRADWAY!
I LOOKED AROUND PLENTY WHEN I WORKED FOR YOU! BUT YOU CAN'T GET AWAY WITH THIS, YOU KNOW!
HOW CAN I MISS, DEARIE?
GAS
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OUR BOARDING HOUSE
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MAJOR HOOPLE
WHAT ARE YOU DOING WITH THOSE OLD MUGS?
MUGS, INDEED! THESE ARE MY ANCESTORS, EVERY ONE WITH NOBLE BLOOD, AND I MEAN TO HANG THEM!
"THIS IS TIBERIUS HOOPLE, RENOWNED ROMAN SENATOR — HE FATHERED THE LAWS AGAINST CHARIOT SPEEDING."
"AH, YES! CANUTE HOOPLE, KNOWN AS 'IRONSIDE' — HE HELPED THE DANES DETHRONE ETHELRED THE UNREADY IN ENGLAND!"
"EGAD! I'D ALMOST FORGOTTEN THIS ONE, VASCO HOOPLE, WHO SAILED WITH COLUMBUS AND HAD CHARGE OF BOXING THE COMPASS!"
"AND HERE WE HAVE BUTTON HOOPLE, ONE OF THE SIGNERS OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE! THE SIGNATURE WAS DEFACED BY INSECTS!"
WHO CAN THAT BE KNOCKING?
GO SEE WHO'S THERE!
KNOCK-KNOCK!
WHO ARE YOU AND WHAT DO YOU WANT, MY GOOD MAN?
MY NAME'S HOOPLE AND COULD YOU SPARE A CUPPA COFFEE?
AWPF! HERE! TAKE THIS AND BE OFF QUICKLY — THE LADY OF THE HOUSE WOULD CALL THE POLICE IF SHE SAW YOU!
THANKS, SPORT!
WHO WAS IT?
SOME CHAP LOOKING FOR GLOCKWELDER'S ON THE NEXT STREET!
UM! I'LL HANG THE PICTURES SOME OTHER DAY!
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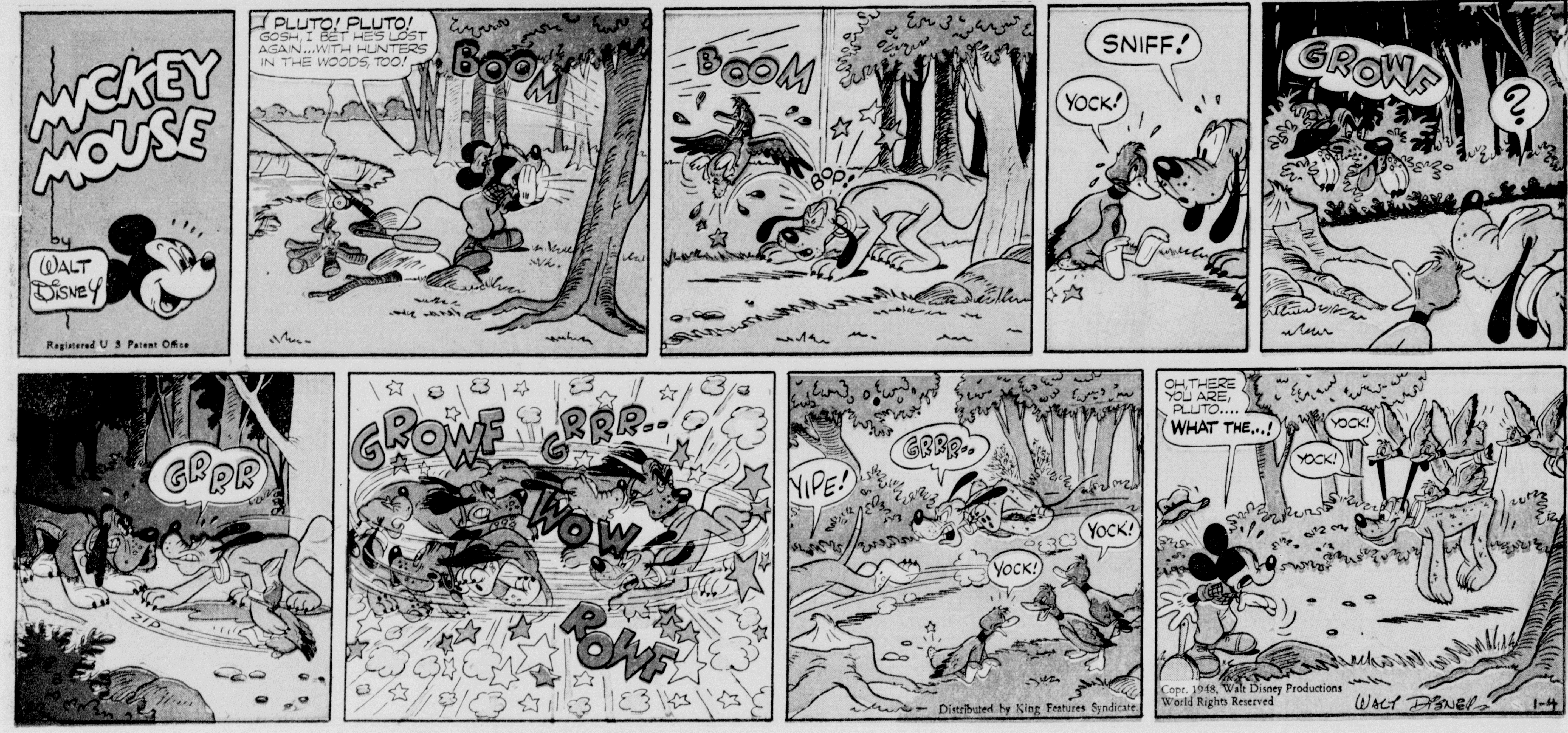
MICKEY MOUSE
by WALT DISNEY
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PLUTO! PLUTO! GOSH, I BET HE'S LOST AGAIN...WITH HUNTERS IN THE WOODS, TOO!
BOOM
BOOM
BOP!
SNIFF!
YOCK!
GROWF
?
GRRR
GROWF
GRRR..
WOW
ROWF
YIPE!
GRRR..
YOCK!
YOCK!
OH, THERE YOU ARE, PLUTO.... WHAT THE...!
YOCK!
YOCK!
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THE KATZENJAMMER KIDS
By Knerr
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YOP! MIT MY ELECTRIC EYE I DON'T HAF TO VORRY ABOUT TIEFS IN DER CHICKEN HOUSE!
DOT'LL FIX 'EM!
HIMMEL! HAS HE GOT ELECTRITSITY IN HIS EYE?
AN ELECTRIC EYE CASTS A BEAM OF LIGHT THAT SETS OFF AN ALARM!
YOU GUESSED IT, LENA, DARLINK!
CHUST DO LIKE VE SAID UND IT GIFS A COUPLA LOLLIPOPS!
OH, PLEASE, MR. BLITZ, DON'T LOOK AT US LIKE DOT, VE ISS TOO YOUNG TO BE ELECTRUMCUTED!
OH! THOSE SHOCKING EYES! OUCH!
HEFFINS! DER ELECTRIC EYE!
HEE-HEE!
OUCH, MAMA! VEN HE LOOKED AT ME I VAS ALL FULL MIT PINS UND NEEDLES!
DID HE HOIT YOU?
ME, TOO!
VELL, HOW YOU LIKE ME AS A ACTOR?--OLD BLITZ-EYE, DOT'S I'M!
POOH! LENA UND I, VE DONE DER ACTING! YOU VAS ONLY DER HAM!
VOT NEXT?
OINK!
BATTERY
OOPS!
OINK!
MAMA, MEET MR. BLITZ! HE VANTS TO OXPLAIN HOW DER ELECTRIC EYE VORKS!
OH, BOY!
NIX! IT'S ENOUGH!
AFTER DISS KEEP YOUR ELECTRIC EYE ON DER CHICKING COOP UND OFF'M LADIES!
HM!
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She's Just a Zero to Her Hero!
WELL, THAT'S THAT! I'VE BEEN WORKING ON TOM FOR A MONTH NOW — AND HE STILL DOESN'T KNOW I'M ALIVE!
DON'T LET IT SNOW YOU UNDER, JULIE! JUST CHANGE YOUR TACTICS!
'SNO-USE!
IF YOU CAN THINK OF ANY TACTICS I HAVEN'T USED, LET'S HEAR THEM!
WELL THEN, LISTEN, HONEY— SEE YOUR DENTIST! ON ACCOUNT OF NO TACTICS CAN STAND UP AGAINST A — A BAD BREATH HANDICAP!
NOW SHE GETS THE DRIFT!
JULIE SEES HER DENTIST!
TO COMBAT BAD BREATH, I RECOMMEND COLGATE DENTAL CREAM! FOR SCIENTIFIC TESTS PROVE THAT IN 7 OUT OF 10 CASES, COLGATE'S INSTANTLY STOPS BAD BREATH THAT ORIGINATES IN THE MOUTH!
"HERE'S WHY: COLGATE DENTAL CREAM HAS AN ACTIVE PENETRATING FOAM THAT GETS INTO THE HIDDEN CREVICES BETWEEN TEETH — HELPS CLEAN OUT DECAYING FOOD PARTICLES — STOP STAGNANT SALIVA ODORS — REMOVE THE CAUSE OF MUCH BAD BREATH. AND COLGATE'S SOFT POLISHING AGENT CLEANS ENAMEL THOROUGHLY, GENTLY, SAFELY!"
COLGATE DENTAL CREAM BRINGS OUT THE NATURAL SPARKLE OF YOUR TEETH, TOO! AND I SIMPLY LOVE COLGATE'S DELICIOUS WAKE-UP FLAVOR!
LATER — THANKS TO COLGATE DENTAL CREAM
NOW TOM AND JULIE ARE A TEAM THANKS TO COLGATE DENTAL CREAM!
IT CLEANS YOUR BREATH WHILE IT CLEANS YOUR TEETH!
COLGATE RIBBON DENTAL CREAM
Always use COLGATE DENTAL CREAM after you eat and before every date
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